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THE SPRING ELECTION

Naginey Elected Burgess and H. S. Taylor Tax Collector.

A VERY LIGHT VOTE WAS POLLED

Shortlidge, Shaeffer and Garrity Elected to the Council; Chas. F. Cook Re-elected Treasurer; John Trafford Overseer of the Poor, and J. Thomas Mitchell Auditor.

Tuesday's election in Bellefonte and vicinity was the quietest held in many years. Everything passed off smothely and we hope the people are satisfied with the result. There was a light vote polled and the democrats have carried the lions share of the office. The stay-at-home republicans are responsible for this. The republicans still have some consolation. They have treasurer, and Auditor, and there will be only one lonely democrat (P. H. Gerrity) in the next council.

Frank Naginey D is elected Burgess over E. R. Chambers, R. While we regret the defeat of Mr. Chambers, still things might have been worse. Mr. Naginey is a smart, capable young man and will no doubt make a good Burgess.

W. T. Hillibish had a great deal to contend with in his contest with Hugh S. Taylor. He made a gallant fight but the odds against him were to great. Mr. Taylor has made a good collector and is a very popular young man. Chas. F. Cook, R is re-elected Treasurer by a handsome majority.

John T. Trafford, D is elected Overseer of the Poor over David Bartley.

Thomas Mitchell, R defeated Oscar Wetzel for Auditor.

The following are the complete returns from the boro and the different precincts over the county:

NORTH WARD.

Judge—Schreyer, r	212	77
T. B. Hamilton, d	135	
Inspector—H. C. Brew, r	205	67
Wm. Barnes, d	138	
School Dir—J. P. Harris, r	214	82
W. A. Ishler, d	132	
Council—B. H. Shaffer, r	208	70
M. I. Gardner, d	138	
J. P.—H. H. Harshberger, r	164	
L. H. Schaeffer, d	182	18
Burgess—E. R. Chambers, r	183	37
F. E. Naginey, d	146	
C. C. Shuey, p	17	
Tax Col—W. T. Hillibish, r	97	
Hugh S. Taylor, d	256	159
O. of P—David F. Bartley, r	155	
John Trafford, d	195	40
Treasurer—C. F. Cook, r	241	134
J. W. Conley, d	107	
Auditor—J. T. Mitchell, r	196	46
Oscar Wetzel, d	150	

SOUTH WARD.

Judge—Thos. Donachy, r	159	
Jos. Rightnour, d	175	16
Inspector—Geo. Hart, r	153	
D. O'Leary, d	177	24
Sch'l Dir—J. A. McClure, r	135	
A. C. Mingle, d	200	65
Council—W. C. Cassidy, r	143	
P. C. Garity, d	191	48
Burgess—Chambers, r	98	
Naginey, d	212	114
Shuey, p	20	
Tax Col—Hillibish, r	85	
Taylor, d	251	166
O. of P—Bartley, r	135	
Trafford, d	198	63
Treasurer—Cook, r	180	27
Conley, d	153	
Auditor—Mitchell, r	139	
Wetzel, d	187	48

WEST WARD.

Judge—C. C. Bell, r	83	11
W. H. Parks, d	72	
Inspector—J. S. Strayer r	82	15
J. R. Sheffler, d	67	
School Dir—G. W. Rees, r,	92	35
A. Y. Wagner, d	57	
Council—Wm. Shortlidge, r	84	18
J. Q. Miles, d	66	
Burgess—Chambers, r	67	
Naginey, d	75	8
Shuey, p	7	
Tax Col—Hillibish, r	73	
Taylor, d	77	4
O. of P—Bartley, r	72	
Trafford, d	78	6
Treasurer—Cook, r	102	57
Conley, d	45	
Auditor—Mitchell, r	88	27
Wetzel, d	61	

RECAPITULATION.

Burgess—Naginey, d	433	85
Chambers, r	348	
Shuey, p	44	
Tax Collector—Taylor, d	584	329
Hillibish, r	255	
Overs'r Poor—Trafford, d	471	111
Bartley, r	360	
Treasurer—Cook, r	523	218
Conley, d	305	
Auditor—Mitchell, r	423	25
Wetzel, d	398	

MILESBURG.

Judge—A. G. Rager, r	63	13
W. T. Hall, d	50	
Insp'r—G. S. Akins, r	47	
W. R. Essington, d	60	13
S. Dir—A. S. Smith, r	54	
F. G. Mattern, r	62	
John Martin, d	34	
C. K. Essington, d	37	
J. P. C Jones, r 1y	31	
Z. Harshberger, r 1y	57	
L. C. Bullock, d 1y	79	
W. C. Kreamer, d 1y	62	
Burgess—J. C. P. Jones, r	35	
L. C. Bullock, d	76	41
Council—A. S. Smith, r	46	
R. B. Mattern, r	57	
Wm. H. Shope, d	51	
James B. Noll, d	62	
Tax Col—W. R. Campbell r	108	
O. of P.—W. R. Campbell, r	64	
Enoch Hugg, d	49	
Auditor—J. I. Morris, r	55	
Geo. Stroop, d	56	1
J. of P.—J. M. Green, r	57	1
W. B. Gratmyre, d	56	
High Const—S. E. Broom, d	97	

POTTER TOWNSHIP.

School directors—P. B. Jordan 253, C. W. Slack 240, W. A. Boal 103, Lemuel Stump 113.

Tax Collector—Jacob Lees 255, G. M. Boal 108.

Overseer of Poor—J. M. Moyer 261, Samuel Bible 97.

Supervisors—Samuel Bruss 208, Jacob Sharer 131, A. Smith 75, J. H. Sweetwood 131, Adam Krumrine 149.

Auditor—D. G. Fortney 261, Jos. Spangler 91

Justice of Peace—J. S. Houseman 261, Alexander McCoy 93.

Town Clerk—Lloyd Kerlin 260, Corman Spiker 98.

CENTRE HALL BOROUGH.

Judge—W. W. Dellet 34, William McClenathan 70.

Inspector—W. A. Odenkirk 31, L. T. Smith 72.

School Directors—A. P. Krape 33, G. S. Clements 29, John T. Lee 71, J. F. Alexander 74.

Burgess—B. D. Brisbin 51, John Krumrine 50.

Council—C. F. Denninger 67, A. Thomas 28, S. Shoop 39, M. B. Richard 37, G. W. Bradford 67, M. L. Emerick 58.

Tax Collector—Wm. Smith 40, W. A Sandoe 60.

Overseer of Poor—D. Burrell 31, T. E. Arney 1, G. W. Rowe 69.

Treasurer—J. O. Deininger 31, H. W. Kreamer 70.

Auditors—George Mowery 26, B. Poulson 29, Frank Poorman 76, D. W. Keiss 70.

High Constable—A. Moyer 28, W. H. Runkle 73.

MILES TWP.

School Directors—Clark M. Gramley 199, Jonathan Walker 174, Ira Brumgart 135, J. W. Snyder 93.

Tax Collector—C H Smull 164, S L Strohecker 92, J B Hazel 58.

Overseer of Poor—J A Gramley 288, Jonathan Sheets 1, C H Brumgart 1.

Supervisors—Jacob Gephart 232, H Ocker 158, N Brumgart 74, J W Diehl, 145.

Auditor—Jerry Brumgart 172, J S Emerick 121.

Justice of Peace—W S Curlin 219, T R Zeigler 89.

PHILIPSBURG BORO.

Burgess—Geo B Simler Jr. 383, Wm. Wolf 39, S B Parker 191.

School Directors—H O Hoffer 312, Clarence Bradin 350, J W Lukens 286, C E. Custer 163, W T Bam 37. Sam Scott 40.

Tax Collectors—J M Schoonover 381, Jacob Swires 187, Robert Kellock 34.

Overseer of Poor—James Black 375, Jno E Homer 193, Thos Young 33.

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THE WITCHES' CAULDRON

It Never Bubbled If It Does Not Now in Crete.

GREECE KEEPS A PAN FRYING

And All the Big Powers Dance to the Dish of a Small Speck on the Continent of Europe—The Case of David Over Again.

Athens, Feb. 15.—Advice received here from the island of Crete announced that the corps of occupation, consisting of infantry, artillery and engineers and numbering 1,500 men, which embarked at Piraeus yesterday, have landed at Platanias, fourteen kilometres west of Canea. The warships of powers, these advices also state, had previously landed strong detachments at Retimo, Herkalion and Canea. When the announcement was made here that "corps of occupation" under command Colonel Vassos, chief aide-de-campe to King George, had landed in Crete, demonstrations of wildest joy were indulged in by the populace.

Berlin, February 15.—The reply of the Greek government to the representations of the powers that the latter would prevent taking further hostile action in Crete, even to resorting to arms, was communicated to-day to the French ambassador at Athens by Prime Minister Delvannis. The Greek premier, after a brief review of the situation, declares without qualification that it is the purpose of Greece to occupy Crete.

In view of this defiant attitude of the Hellenic kingdom, the German government will consider that it is no longer consonant with dignity to proceed further in the paths of diplomacy at Athens, and after having communicated this conclusion to the governments of other powers, will instruct the commander of the German warship Kaiserin Augusta to proceed to Canea and join the associated fleets off the Cretan coast in preventing any hostile action on the part of Greece and co-operate with them in restoring order in the islands According to the semi-official statement this decision on the part of Germany is final.

Paris, Feb. 15.—In the chamber of deputies today M. Hanotaux, minister of foreign affairs, replying to an inquiry by M Jaures regarding the situation in Crete, said that the status of affairs in the island was such as to render a public explanation impossible.

M. Jaures expressed his dissatisfaction with the reply of the foreign minister to his request for information and demanded that the Crete affair be discussed at once by the chamber. Thereupon M. Meline, the premier, declared that such action was impossible, as to the discussion demanded would necessitate the divulging of secrets which were not France's alone and demanded that the consideration of the matter be adjourned, and this course was adopted by a vote of 382 to 70.

A True Maxim.

Nothing succeeds like success, is a maxim well applied to Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, for this famous remedy succeeds in curing every case of croup, cough and cold which it undertakes, and to this alone is due its wonderful popularity. Mrs. E. W. Richards, 2214 E. Cumberland St., Philadelphia, Pa., states: "I have had Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup on my bureau for the last nine years, and have found it a certain and safe cure for croup. I have also found it efficacious in extreme membraneous croup, and would advise all mothers to use it." Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup costs only 25 cents, and you should bear in mind, that substitutes simply benefit the dealer's purse. Insist on getting Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

For sale by C. M. Parrish.

Governor Hastings' Movements.

Harrisburg, Feb. 15.—On Friday morning the Governor will leave on a special car with other State officials for a visit of inspection to the Huntingdon Reformatory. They will return the same evening.

Governor and Mrs. Charles W. Lippitt, of Rhode Island, who are en route home from Chicago, where Governor Lippitt made a speech at the Lincoln anniversary dinner of the Marquette Club, stopped in Harrisburg for two hours this afternoon as the guests of Governor and Mrs. Hastings. They had lunch at the Executive Mansion, and were then shown the State buildings and the ruins of the old Capitol.

A COWARDLY ACT.

Unsuccessful Attempt to Destroy St. Johns Episcopal Church.

What might have been a terrible catastrophe was narrowly averted Sunday evening. Some unknown miscreants gained an entrance by one of the basement windows. to St. Johns Episcopal church, corner of Allegheny and Lamb street and entering the choir room they turned on three of the gas jets, and taking several of the benches barricaded the doors leading out of this room.

When the janitor, Mr. Gregg, and the organist, W. B. Reeves, came to open the church for the evening services, they were almost suffocated by the escaping gas which filled every nook and corner in the building. They lost no time in opening up the windows and doors and soon located the cause of the trouble in the choir room in the basement. It was the custom of Mr. Reeves to enter the church by the basement door from Lamb street, and he usually lights the gas in the choir room before going up stairs. Fortunately Mr. Reeves had no matches about him. If either Mr. Gregg or Mr. Reeves had attempted to strike a light, they would both have been instantly killed and the building would have been blown to pieces.

There is at present no clue to the perpetrators of this act. Whether it was the work of the mischievous boys or some one more evilly disposed is not known. The proper authorities should take this in hand, and institute a thorough investigation, and the villians whoever they are should be brought to justice.

Postoffice Robbers Caught.

Clearfield, Pa., Feb. 15.—Word was received by Postmaster Miller Bloom and Sheriff Smith this afternoon from Sheriff McMackin, of Elk county, that he had captured two of the men who robbed the postoffice in this place last Wednesday morning. He asked the sheriff to bring over a full description of the men, and he, in company with the postmaster, drove up to the farm of Joel Bailey, with whom the burglars ate breakfast the morning of the robbery, for the purpose of getting Bailey to go over to Ridgway to identify the prisoners. From the description furnished by Sheriff McMackin, there is no doubt, but that he has the right parties, and Sheriff Smith will go after them to morrow morning

Pleasant Ridge.

Miss Minerva E. Hoy of this place, left last Thursday on an extended visit of several months. Miss Hoy will spend the above time in visiting her many friends and relatives in Dauphin and Lebanon counties. She also expects to spend some time with her sister and brother, Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Wagner who lately moved from Muncy Pa., to Glascow Cambria Co., Pa.

The heavy rain on last Saturday was a real blessing to the farmers in this vicinity, as their cisterns were getting empty.

A great many suckers were caught along Spring creek last Saturday while the water was high, the fish came out into the low waters and were easily caught.

Mr. Clayton Royer, took Rev. W. J. Wagners horse and buggy out to Glascow, Cambria Co., Pa., for him while Rev. Wagner went with his family in the cars. Clayton must have had some other attraction out there.

An Essay on the Curfew.

A Bellefonte boy who was asked to write an essay on the curfew ordinance which has been enacted in some of the small towns of the State, expressed his opinion as follows: "I guess its all right, but it would be a darn sight better if it took in pa and ma and the rest of the family. You see it's going to be hard on me at times when pa is at lodge, and ma is somewhere play whist and sis is at a dance, and Jim is out skylarking with the boys. That leaves me and the dog home alone, that is if I ain't somewhere else."

Peter Maher Defeated C. C. Smith.

Buffalo, N. Y, Feb. 15.— Peter Maher defeated C. C. Smith at the Empire Athletic club here to day, in the sixth round.

Consumption in its advanced stages is beyond the power of man to cure. It can be prevented though by the timely use of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, nature's own remedy for coughs and colds.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Is on every wrapper.

NO MATERIAL NEWS

Still Investigating Trusts in New York Without Result.

A LEXOW WHICH IS NOW FAILING

Witnesses Called Who Have Absence of Mind When the Case Most Interesting Comes Up for Discussion—The Testimony Yesterday.

New York, February 17.—The legislative committee, investigating the trusts and monopolies in this state, resumed its inquisition this morning into the affairs of the United States Rubber company with Charles R. Flint, treasurer of the company as the witness. Mr. Flint stated that when the United States Rubber company absorbed the other rubber companies stock to the amount of about $26,000,000 was issued. Mr. Flint replied with much circumlocution to the question asked by Chairman Lexow, without giving very much information, or else responded, "I don't know" to the queries put to him. Finally Senator Lexow got angry, and, rising in his seat waved a document in front of the witness and shouted: "Have you any knowledge of the agreement of the trust with its agents?"

Mr. Flint looked scared and changed his stereotyped "I don't know" to "Not in detail." Witness gave it as his opinion that the only way the price of labor could be maintained in the country was by the centralization of labor. "To-day," he said, "the American wage earners is enabled to sustain his rate of wages by the existence of superior organizations of manufacturers."

At the afternoon session the committee took up the soda syndicate, a combination recently formed. William J. Walker, a member of the firm of Church and Dwright Company of Wall street was the first witness. The witness testified that they produced bicarbonate of soda, sal soda and saleratus The witness testified that his company has acquired several lesser firms last year and that their capital stock was $2,000,000. Mr. Walker stated that they had an agreement with jobbers handling their goods, by which they protected the jobbers against competition in price. The witness said this agreement had been entered into by them at a request of wholesale grocers who would otherwise refuse to do business with them unless they were protected as to price. Witness refused to acknowledge that his company had a monopoly of the sale of bicarbonate of soda in New York and denied that his company limited the price of the article, although he admitted that any one violating the agreement with his company was pushed. He also admitted that there were agreements with factors in Pennsylvania and other states in regard to the sale of bicarbonate of soda in New York state was 5½ cents per pound while in other states they sell it at 5 cents The witness explained the difference in price by the fact that other states have big freight charges to pay.

Charles F. Pope, of the firm of J. Monroe Taylor & Co., testified that but for the factors' agreement the various kinds of soda would sell from one to one and a half cents a pound less than at present.

The witness said that the highest priced soda on the market sells at one and three fourth cents a pound and that it costs from one to one and one-half cents a pound to pack it. The witness stated that the opposition of the Church and White company had lowered the price of soda in New York state. The wall paper trust will be investigated tomorrow.

The McCulley Horse a Winner.

If anybody thinks Bellefonte is lacking in sporting blood, they are badly mistaken All those who were fortunate enough to be out along the pike south of town Monday afternoon about two o'clock saw a race that would have been a credit to Coney Island or Gloucester. The race was between J. T. McCulley's mare, Maggie May and Ed. Baney's horse, Red Royal. That expert horseman, Mart Cooney, held the ribbons over the McCulley horse and Geo. Beezer did the same for Red Royal. The stakes were $25 a side, but there were other bets which would make the total amount which changed hands over $100. The distance ran was about ¾ of a mile, and was from what is known as the black barn to the barn on the old Loeb farm. Two heats were run both of which were won by the McCulley mare Maggie May. The starters were Col. Amos Mullen and Shem Spigelmyer and the decideing judges Tom Morris and Wm. Lyons.

Howard Items.

Mr. J. W. Mayes, of Houserville, is again back to our town spending a week with his old friends.

Miss Mabel Sechrist is confined to her house with a bad attack of grip.

Miss May Weber has been suffering for the past week with a severe cold.

The protracted meeting that has been in progress at Harter's school house in Nittany Valley, which has been meeting with much success, was so crowded on last Sunday evening that the building began to shake. Rev. J. R. Sechrist, who was in charge of the meeting, was compelled to dismiss the congregation, thereby saving the lives of many people.

Mr. Frank Waltz and his lady friend were the guests of Mrs. J. L. DeHaas on Sunday last.

The Christian Endeavor and Ladies' Mite societies of the Howard Evangelical church will hold an oyster supper in the vacant rooms of the Brickley building on Monday and Tuesday afternoons and evenings, February 22nd and 23rd. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

The District Convention of the P. O. S. of A. will be held in this place on Feb. 22 and 23.

We are reliably informed that our paper, the Weekly Hornet, will appear again about the first or second week in March, with its stinger sharper than ever.

What's the matter with having the State Capital located at this place. We are sure there could not be a better place found in the State.

Mr. J. B. Wetzell, our popular foundryman, has been so busy for the past few weeks that he has been compelled to work his men day and night.

Miss Bettie Stitzer is spending this week with friends at Bellefonte.

Our Rake factory is now running on about half time.

There are twelve applicants for the post office at this place, and, of course, they will all get it.

Mr. R. P. Long expects to move his store about April 1st to his new new building on Main street.

Dug Through Her Cell.

Williamsport, Pa., February 16.—Mar Steiger, a 19-year-old prisoner in the county jail here, was caught as she was about to swing out of liberty this afternoon. Her cell is 30 feet above the ground and three above the outer wall. Mary, who is in jail for house breaking, would have ended her sentence on March 1.

With a caseknife, which she kept when her dinner was sent in yesterday, she dug a hole through the stone wall directly beneath the cell window. The dirt she concealed in the tick of her bed. She made an opening 18x24 inches, having pushed out a large stone, that dropped into the jail yard. This afternoon a party of young people were in a hall the windows of which face the jail, when a boy's attention was attracted by a frowsy head appearing out of the hole beneath one of the cell windows.

A telephone message was sent to the jail and the turnkey came upon Mary unawares. She was partially through the hole and was cutting it larger. When she found she was discovered the girl uttered an oath.

Where Fitz May Train.

Reno, Nev., February 16.—Martin Julian, Fitzsimmons's manager, arrived from the east this morning and said that Fitzsimmons would arrive in Nevada this week. His training quarters have not yet been selected, but from remarks dropped Danberg's Ranch, near Carson, will be the location. Julian said Fitzsimmons was in perfect condition. Referring to Sharkey's challenge to fight the winner, Julian said: "Should Fitzsimmons defeat Corbett, Sharkey will be accommodated.

—Mrs. Kate Rishel, of Gregg township, died this morning, aged 81 years. She was the only aunt living of John Dunlap, constable of the North Ward of this place.

KIMBALL'S RIDE.

It was a cheerful day for Badger Willie. When, in the gray of the early morning, she had entered th Tucson stage and found that Wylie Kimball, manager of the Star and Crescent, was to be her fellow passenger, she had looked for a decidedly disagreeable trip and had almost decided on the spur of the moment to wait for the next stage. But when Kimball, who had been one of her lesser victims for a brief space of time and had hated himself and her accordingly ever since, in response to her cheerful query as to his reason for going to Tucson, remarked very pointedly that it was "none of her d—d business," that settled it. Willie liked nothing better than making some one else uncomfortable, even at the expense of his own comfort; so it took her less than one second to make up her mind to carry out her original intention as regarding the date of her departure. For this resolution she shortly had reason to congratulate herself, for at the outskirts of the camp the stage stopped to take on three more passengers —miners, going into to town to "blow in" the result of months of hard work—and Willie well knew that before he got to Tucson she would have one or all of them "on her staff."

She was a bit abashed at first, maybe, by the presence of Kimball, whose aversion to herself she understood perfectly. He did not look at her at all, however, but sat and smoked and stared moodily out of the window. He had got aboard in the most cheerful mood imaginable, for he was going to meet his wife and babies, who were coming out to join him after a separation of two years—and then this harpy must needs intrude himself upon his pleasant thoughts, and, worse still, thrust her society upon him, to be a journey long reminder of his one time mad weakness. How could he, he asked himself, go from her presence into that of the pure, sweet trusting woman he called his wife and look into her honest eyes without flinching? She would never know, of course, but that would not prevent his feeling like a scoundrel. And, hereupon Wylie Kimball passed another bad half hour or so with his very active conscience.

But this could not last long. Two of the miners were Kimball's own employees, and he knew the other one very well also. So it was impossible to avoid taking a part in the conversation, even had he not desired so get away from his conscience. Thus, after a couple of hours, during which the bottle went the rounds more often than was necessary, he found himself laughing, chatting and "swapping lies" with the rest with all the permissible freedom of a popular mine manager off duty.

About the middle of the day the stage left the foothills, and branching off the main road took a short cut across the desert, beyond which loomed, through the heated, quivering atmosphere, the last spur of mountains to be crossed before the desert proper was reached. By this time the three miners and Badger Willie had succumbed in greater or less degree to the soothing influences of the heat, the bottle and the swaying of the vehicle, and one by one they dropped off to sleep.

Kimball then got outside with Dan Latham, the driver, and rode on the box. He did not mind the heat very much, and he did want some one to talk to, and even the monosyllabic Daniel was better company than none at all. He told Dan about expecting to meet his family at Tucson, and the surley driver was so pleased over the prospect of seeing "kids" at the camp that he grew quite loquacious, and told Kimball a few "yarns" about his experiences when the country was "new."

The road through the mountains they had been approaching was a new one, just built by the Stage company and the mining operators at considerable cost. It was looked upon by them as a good investment, as saving considerable time in freighting, but Dan Latham, who was opposed to innovations, could not see it in that light. So he and Kimball, as the horses climbed the first graded stretch, were engaged in a heated argument on the subject, when Dan suddenly straightened up and asked sharpely as he stared hard at a point above them on the right.

"God, did ye see that?"

"What?"

"There she goes agin!" ejaculated the driver excitedly, pointing with the butt of his whip.

Kimball looked and saw a bright spark of light, like a diamond flash, gleam for an instant, then disappear, and a moment later there was an answering flash from a rocky peak 2 miles away.

"Troopers heliographing," said the manager easily.

"Troopers nothin," snorted Dan in deep disgust. "They don't use no 2 inch lookin glasses, man. There's another one—see? Say, mister we got t' git a move on. Wake them drunks up, will ye, and tel 'em there's a scrap in sight? Then we make hot foot f'r a place a piece up th' road, where there's some show to fight."

Why the Apaches did not wait for and ambush the stage at some favorable point it is impossible to say. It did not take their lookouts long to understand, however, when they saw the passengers helping the vehicle on the up grades that their signals had been seen and understood. "They'll close in quick now," said Dan, "so we got t' push along."

After about 20 minutes' travel the temporary fortress was reached, and there were hurried preparations for defense. The horses were unhitched and taken back a short distance, where Badger Willie remained to hold them, and the stage was then hauled across the mouth of the ravine they had entered to serve as a breastwork. Dan had chosen their refuge admirably. The ravine was the entrance to a narrow crevice (probably the result of an earthquake), with walls which, a short distance back, rose precipitiously to an enormous height, shutting out the light completely, "I d'no how fur it goes back," chuckled Dan, "but ef it goes fur enough we all can make a right good back door sneak, ef we have t' git aout o' yere."

For two or three hours they waited on the alert for some hostile demonstration from the unseen redskins, who kept carefully out of sight. It was nervous work—this waiting. From their location the whites could see but a short distance up or down the road, and when the reds chose they might come almost upon them without discovering themselves.

"Pshaw!" said Kimball, as it neared sundown and there were no signs of an attack. "I don't believe they'll bother us at all. I haven't heard of any of them being out lately anyway."

"Le' me tell ye," angrily retorted Dan from his post behind the stage, "that there signalin means somethin. Anyways don't git gay none, an go stickin yer carcass up too fur above them rocks, er ye'll feel real sorry."

Even as he spoke the miner beside Kimball unthinkingly stood up to get a better view of some object he thought he saw moving, and then dodged quickly behind his rock just in time to avoid a bullet aimed at him by that same 'object.' Then Dan and one of the miners each got a shot at a crawling Apache, and for a short time thereafter snap shots were frequent.

After awhile Dan remembered something and had an idea at the same time.

'Look yere, fellers,' he called without looking around, 'we all cain't stay yere furever. None at all. Now, s'posin Kimball and th' woman takes th' horses an makes aout th' back way? Ef they gits aout they'll most prob'le strike th' trail and git help aout t' we all. Ef they don't they can stay back aout o' sight awhile, an then git away.'

'Go back and leave you here?' spoke Kimball warmly. 'Not if I know it.'

'Oh, ya-as,' drawled Dan, and the others echoed him. 'Th' female's got to hev someun to take care o' her, haint she? An you're the only married man in the crowd. Besides we all can come the same way ef we chooses.'

'But,—' Kimball protested, at the same time thinking how precious life was, after all, and feeling ashamedly conscious of a hope that his protest would not count.

'Don't stop to argify,' one of the miners pleaded. 'Hurry up; we can hold up our end fer awhile.'

As Kimball and the woman mounted and prepared to start, Dan ran back to them. 'Ef they's any other end o' this,' he muttered hastily, it'll be miles south o' the road. So, ef ye git aout, head north by west ontell ye strikes it, an then—fly! Goodby. Goodby, Willie; ef I don't see ye agin, brace up an be a good gyrul.'

He left them, and in a moment Kimball's horse was leading the way between walls of rock so close together that passage was with difficulty accomplished, and at times a turn would be reached so abrupt that it seemed a wonder that the horses could make it. Light there was none. In some places, when Kimball looked up, he could catch a fleeting glimpse of a patch of starry sky; then the overhanging walls would again close together, and the darkness would be complete.

Mrs. Floyd Hopkins, who aspires to be something of a belle herself, stood for a moment and followed the direction of my glance.

"Miss Dalrymple is looking particularly well this evening," said she, a very gracious speech, indeed, for her.

The echo and re echo of the horses footfalls made conversation impossible most of the time, even had the fugitives desired to talk, but now and then the passage would widen and heighten into a large chamber, with sandy floor on which the hoofs of the animals made almost no sound, and in these places Kimball could hear the woman sobbing weakly and pleading with her horse to make haste, evidently possessed by the fear that the man would get ahead too far and leave her alone in the dark. He only spoke to her once, however, and that was when he called back:

'Stop your d——d sniveling, will you?'

They had ridden for hours, it seemed, when Kimball's horse halted suddenly, as though he had met an obstruction. Kimball dismounted, and with the aid of a match found this to be indeed the case. The passage was barred, or rather that was the end of it. They had reached another chamber, which seemed to have no outlet save that by which they had entered. Through the roof, to be sure, it was open, for they could see a large patch of sky, but that was all.

There was nothing to be done but wait for daylight, which might penetrate to their dungeon. So Kimball, briefly telling the shivering Willie to dismount and try to sleep a bit, sat down by the entrance to keep guard, fearing that possibly the Apaches might have killed the outfit at the stage and followed up the trail the horses had made.

Up to this time the girl had not addressed Kimball, but presently she broke in upon his none too cheerful meditations with:

'Mr. Kimball?'

Kimball started, then growled roughly:

"What do you want? Can't you shut up?'

She whimpered quietly in her corner a little while; then the man heard her coming toward him, feelher way.

'Now, what?' he snapped.

'Oh, I'm so-o afraid. Please let me get near you.'

He did not reply, so she felt along the wall until suddenly her cold hand came in contact with has face, and both recoiled. Then the girl sat down and was quiet for awhile, except for her staccato breathing. Then:

'Mr. Kimball?'

'What?' he asked quietly, taking pity on her at last, for he felt himself a brute to repulse her at such a time.

And the girl asked him to forgive her and to try to pity instead of hating her.

She felt, it seemed, that they were doomed never to get out of their predicament alive, and she did not want the last civilized being she was to look upon to spurn her as she had for years been spurned by society. She told him her story—a sad, sad story enough. When she had finished, in tears, Kimball was silent for a moment before he said gently:

"Willie, I think we are in for it together, sure enough. Now, understand me. I am not a religious man, more's the pity, but I don't feel that I can afford to be called to face my Maker with hatred in my heart for any living creature. Now that I think it over I see it was all my own fault, but let us not quibble over that point. Let us forgive each other and pray that God Almighty may forgive us both. Shake, Willie."

Their cold hands met in the darkness and clasped for a moment, and Kimball continued:

"As to your story, Willie, it is the same I have heard thousands of times before, and —I do not believe it. Not that I don't believe that you think that you are telling the truth all right, but you don't understand. I have a theory, Willie, and that is that you and other unfortunates were borne into this world to become as—as you have been, you know, and that no human agency is responsible—that is, primarily. Do you get the idea? It takes all kinds of people to make a world, and each must occupy the sphere for which he was destined, and he can't help it. I have thought for years that no one in your position ever cared to—to better her condition, you know. But, Willie, if you ever have the chance, I want you to 'bust' my theory and to show the world that there is one of you who wants to be something, different, after all. If I get out, too, I'll help you to do it. Is it a go?"

"So help me, God!" said the repentant one solemnly, and they shook hands again.

It was in that interval between darkness and dawn. In a few moments they saw the sky above them redden with the tints of the sunrise, and very shortly the cavern was well lighted from the opening above. Objects in the chamber could be discerned now, and Kimball saw, with a throb of his heart, that one of the horses was missing. It was impossible for it to have passed him at the opening, so he proceeded to examine carefully the walls around, and presently, behind a huge rock, he found what seemed to be another exit, through which, a lighted match showed him, the horse had passed. He felt his way slowly along this, and within 10 feet came in sight of daylight, shining across the mouth of an opening in the south side of the mountain. Calling to Willie to follow him with the other horse, he hurried to the cave's mouth. Before him lay the brown desert and only a short distance away stood the missing horse, placidly licking the scanty dew from a rock.

It must have been about noon when they halted to give their tired, heated horses a brief rest before pushing forward to Tucson which was now but three hours' hard ride distant. They had dismounted, without a thought of danger, to get the benefit of the shelter of a group of rocks, and had turned one of the horses loose, knowing that it would not stray far from its mate. It had ambled down the slope a short distance and seemed nosing quietly about for stray spear of grass, when, with a shrill cry of pain, it suddenly threw its head up and dashed madly toward where its mate stood. Something dangled from its nose for a moment, and was then shaken off. Kimball saw it and his face blanched as he ran forward and caught the horse which had stopped and was shaking its head frantically.

"Rattlesnake!" he gasped. "Get up, Willie! We'll have to get all we can out of this poor devil."

For three or four miles they pounded along in silence, the wounded horse, which Kimball was riding, becoming more and more distressed until finally it halted and lay down, groaning pitifully. Kimball left it where it lay and hurried along to walk beside Willie's horse, holding by its mane to increase his speed. He had just begun to tell her that she had better hurry on alone, and that he would follow as best he could, when a brown figure, flitting from one rock to another on the hillside above him, caught his none too observant eye. He looked sharply at the same place and saw another skulking figure run lightly down to a point of ten yards or so nearer him, but his voice was steady as he asked hurriedly:

"Got your gun, Willie? Well you'll need it maybe. Save a shot for yourself—they're all around us now. For God's sake, Willie, get help as quick as you can! Go, girl, and don't forget!"

"I won't!"

Two or three rifle shots followed the girl, as she galloped white faced out of range, and Kimball's heart sickened with the fear that she might have been struck, but she held her seat firmly, and he breathed more freely as he took to the rocks.

When the rescuing party, a few hours later, came to the place where Badger Willie had left Kimball, they found no sign of him, so they hurried on to help Latham and the three miners, two of whom were badly wounded, but still alive. But in the morning they found him. He lay behind a rock shot to pieces scalped. All around him the ground was strewn with empty cartridges, which showed what kind of a fight he had made against long odds.

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"There she goes again, the d—d hyena!" growled Uncle Hank Barr from his post on the beer keg in front of Bill Allen's. "Why th'—don't some public spiruted gent kill her up a lot? It'd be a deed o' mercy to a long suff'rin c'munity, it would." And he scowled disgustedly at a tall, handsome, flashily dressed female who was just then picking her way daintily across the street toward the O K restaurant. "That there woman has sp'ilt more good fellers, rooned more lives an broke up more families th'n any other dern she critter in this yere part o' th' country, she has, an she ought t' git th' run, that's what. An they hain't no let up to 'er, none at all, Ye'd think, sence that time she got Wylie Kimball skelped an 'most lost 'er own wavin tresses, she'd brace up a few, she was that bad scairt, but'—

"Who was this fellow, Uncle Hank?" some one asked.

Hank told the story.

"So she didn't brace up after all?" remarked one auditor musingly, when the veteran cow puncher had concluded.

The old man turned on his questioner with a jerk. "Didn't I jes' say," he snorted, "th't she's wuss'n ever?"—Lester Ketchum in San Francisco Argonaut.

Postmaster General Wilson's New Position.

Lexington, Ky., February 11—the board of trustees of Washington and Lee universities met here to day and unanimously elected Postmaster General William L. Wilson president of the university. It is said that a committee from the board visited Mr. Wilson soon after the resignation of President Lex and that he expressed himself as being willing to accept the position. He will enter upon the duties as president July 1.

A Correction.

The report in circulation that I intended to move out of the West Ward is not true. I expect to stay and have rented for the ensuing year. JOHN Q. MILES.

—Strawberry Ice cream at Karstetters bakery.

A GIRL'S DANGER.

Mothers are Altogether too Delicate About Advising Their Daughters.

Plain, Sensible Talks to Them Oftentimes Saves Years of Suffering; and it is Entirely a False Modesty on the Mother's Part that Keeps Her from Her Known Duty.

From the Agitator, Wellsboro, Pa.

In Elkland, Pennsylvania, a small town located on the Cowanesque River Railroad, there lived for some years, prior to 1880, Mr. Charles H. Heath, whose profession was that of a blacksmith. He had chosen for his life companion Miss Genie Boyd and here settled with his little family to earn a living by the side of his already well-beaten anvil. On January 8th, in the year 1882, there was born unto Mr. and Mrs. Heath a beautiful baby girl, with health which promised to add to the home one more joy. For this daughter the parents chose the name of Clara B., and, indeed, she was a bright star in that little circle.

A few years later, Mr. Heath seeing a better opportunity for earning his livelihood, removed his family to Harrison Valley, a town located on the same branch of railroad near its terminus. Here for a while everything was bright and the future promised to be one of comfort to them, but suddenly it became fully apparent to the father and mother that the radiant face of their little daughter was beginning to fade. This caused them much anxiety, and a physician was consulted, but little, if anything, was done to restore the vanishing beauty to their little one. The father toiled on faithfully to provide for the dependents, but the sunlight seemed to be fast fading from their home.

In March, 1892, thinking a change in location might add vigor to Clara, they took up their abode in a beautiful little town situated between the mountains, known as Little Marsh, Pa., and where nature itself seemed to be a physician superior to all mankind. Here, for a time, the change of air seemed to revive their daughter Clara, but soon other weaknesses established themselves in her body, which promised to take her from their midst.

Physicians were summoned, but she continued to grow worse and it was very evident that only a few short days remained for her on earth. The mother was distracted upon realizing the situation of her loving daughter, and it was while relating her condition to a neighbor, Mrs. Southworth, in January, 1895, that she learned of the wonderful results obtained by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for female weaknesses.

Everything else having failed to add one glimmer of light to the life so fast fading away, a fifty-cent box of Pink Pills was procured from the druggist, hoping that there might be something in this new remedy. Already Clara's complexion had grown to be of that faded color so well-known to all similarly affected. Time rolled on and she was stricken down more closely with nervous prostration and again all hope seemed to vanish. Still she continued the treatment of Dr. Williams, and when the first box was gone there seemed to be a change for the better. Her nerves had grown stronger and other weaknesses seemed to mend. "Where there is life there is hope" and another box was purchased and taken as prescribed. Clara continued to grow stronger each day and there seemed to be new life in the little home again. Father and mother were both elated to see the improvement and once more have their daughter join their family circle.

Now Miss Clara speaks for herself: "I have continued to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills up to the present time and it has only cost the small amount of $4.00 to place me where I am to-day. My health is better than ever before; my complexion was never so rosy and I am never troubled with nervous spells as before using this remedy. I attribute my present condition to the healing powers of Pink Pills for Pale People, and I am glad to recommend them to any suffering as I was. My appetite, which before their use had nearly failed me, is now as good as one need wish for, and I am again able to enjoy the pleasures of life so long denied me."

Miss Heath is still using the Pink Pills and declares her intention so to do should she require medicine of any kind. She also relates instances of her friends who are having as good results as hers from their use.

MRS. CAREY'S ENTHUSIASM AT SIXTY.

Her Daughter Marvelously Cured, then Her Own Life Saved.

From the Era, Bradford, Pa.

Mrs. Hannah Carey, an estimable lady who resides at No. 56 High Street, Bradford, Pa., is enthusiastic in her praise of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Mrs. Carey is sixty years of age, but still possesses much of the youthful appearance of her younger days. She had never known a day's illness until a year ago, when she showed signs of general breaking down of the system. She grew emaciated, lost her appetite and it was only by a great effort that she kept on her feet.

Several different kinds of medicine were tried but her condition steadily grew worse. "I had almost given up hopes of bettering my condition," said Mrs. Carey to a newspaper man, "when I concluded to give Pink Pills a trial. Some time before, my daughter, Mrs. P. Raber, who then resided at Punxsutawney, Pa., had been marvelously cured of heart trouble by these wonderful pills and I concluded to see what virtue they possessed for the ailments of people of my age. Before I had taken the contents of one box, I noticed a change in my condition. I seemed to regain my lost strength, my appetite returned, the feeling of oppressiveness which had tortured me passed away and life took on new beauties. I took four boxes of the pills and when I had finished, my health was as good as it was before the illness. I am satisfied that Pink Pills saved me untold suffering and probably saved my life. For this reason I am always willing to recommend them to all who suffer as I did."

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In the Seven Mountains.

The other day the Snyder county authorities tried to arrest John Ettinger, his son, Sherman, and several other men who had barricaded themselves in a house and defied the authorities to take them. The constable, not certain that he had the authority to capture them dead, returned with his possee to consult the law on the subject, and finding it would justify him in shooting returned with his possee the next day only to find his game gone. The officers traced the robbers and burglars into the Seven mountains in Centre county, where all trace of them was lost and it is supposed they are in hiding there yet.

Went to Church.

Carson, Nev., February 14.—There was a lull to-day in prize ring gossip in Carson. Most of the population went to church, and Dan Stuart slid quietly into a pew in the Episcopal church.

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Some News from Samoa.

San Francisco, February 11.—The Apia correspondent of the United Associated presses writing under date of January 27, says: Great excitement was caused in Samoa on the 9th inst by the announcement by King Malietea that he would allow the return of Matafa and all the other exiled rebel chiefs, provided they would swear allegiance and not rebel again. The consuls are opposed to the proposed return, as they fear it will lead to more trouble.

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Condensed Time Table.

READ DOWN. No. 5	No. 3	No. 1		No. 2	No. 4	READ UP. No. 6
p.m.	p.m.	a.m.	Lv. Ar.	a.m	p.m.	p.m
†7 45	3 45	†7 20	Bellefonte	10 10	6 10	10 15
7 50	3 57	7 34	Nigh	9 56	5 57	10 02
8 05	4 03	7 41	Zion	9 50	5 51	9 56
8 12	4 08	7 46	Heela Park	9 45	5 46	9 51
8 15	4 10	7 48	Dunkles	9 43	5 44	9 49
8 19	4 14	7 52	Hublersburg	9 39	5 40	9 45
8 23	4 18	7 56	Snydertown	9 35	5 37	9 41
8 25	4 20	7 58	Nittany	9 33	5 35	9 39
8 27	4 22	8 00	Huston	9 31	5 33	9 37
8 29	4 24	8 02	Lamar	9 29	5 31	9 35
8 31	4 26	8 04	Clintondale	9 26	5 29	9 33
8 36	4 31	8 09	Krider's S'n'g	9 21	5 24	9 28
8 42	4 37	8 16	Mackeyville	9 15	5 18	9 23
8 48	4 43	8 23	Cedar Springs	9 09	5 12	9 17
8 50	4 45	8 25	Salona	9 07	5 11	9 15
8 55	4 50	8 30	Mill Hall	†9 01	† 5 05	†9 10
p.m	p.m.	a.m.	Ar. Lv.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
9 30	9 45		Jersey Shore	4 30		7 55
10 05	10 20	Arr	WM'PORT Lve	4 00		†7 25
†10 20	†11 30	Lve	WM'PORT Arr	2 40		*6 55
5 08	7 10		PHILA	†8 35		*11 30
□ 8 32	10 30		Atlantic City	7 00		5 30
6 45			NEW YORK (Via Tamaqua)	†4 30		
7 25	†9 30		NEW YORK (Via Phila)			†7 30
p. m.	a. m.		Ar. Lv.	a. m		p. m.

*Daily. † Week Days. § 6 00 p. m. Sunday ‡ 10 10 a. m. Sunday.

Philadelphia Sleeping Car attached to East bound train from Williamsport at 11.30 p m and west-bound from Philadelphia at 11 30 p.m.

J. W. GEPHART,
General Superintendent

Corbett Sparred With His Trainer.

San Francisco, February 14.—Fifteen thousand admirers of James J. Corbett packed the Haight street grounds this afternoon to see him spar a few rounds with his trainer, Colonel McVey. The champion was in excellent fettle and he danced about McVey showering in straight punches and half arm jabs at his pleasure After the exhibition Corbett addressed the spectators briefly saying that his friends need have no hesitation in placing their money on him. He was prepared to put up the best battle of his career. Corbett will leave to-morrow afternoon for Reno.

Points for Liquor Men

The superior court at Williamsport was called upon Thursday to decide whether a liquor merchant residing in another state and not having a license to sell in Pennsylvania may recover for bills contracted by Pennsylvania buyers where the statute requires such a license. The parties in the case argued were Joseph Silverman & Co., of Cincinnati, and W. E. Rumbarger, of DuBois. The lower court of Clearfield county has awarded Silverman & Co., the plaintiffs, their full claim of $296.75.

BEECH CREEK RAILROAD.
New York Central & Hudson River R. R. Co., Lessee.
Condensed Time-Table.

Read Up. Exp	Mail. No.37	No.33	In effect Nov. 16th, 1896.	Exp. No.30	Mail. No.36	Read Down
p.m	p.m.	1 55	Arr PATTON Lve	a.m.	p.m.	†4 00
9 30		1 10	Ar. MAHAFFEY Lv.	† 5 00		4 40
9 05		12 35	Lv. Kerrmoor Ar	5 25		5 05
8 55		12 25	GAZZAM	5 35		5 15
8 49		12 15	Ar. Kerrmoor Lv.	5 41		5 22
8 45		12 11	New Millport	5 46		5 27
8 39		12 05	Olanta	5 52		5 33
8 33		11 59	Mitchells	5 58		5 39
8 16		11 40	Lv Clearfield June Arr	6 15		5 57
8 08		11 31	CLEARFIELD	6 25		‡ 6 05 ‡ 6 30
7 57		11 21	Arr Clearfield June Lv	6 35		6 40
7 48		11 12	Woodland	6 45		6 47
7 42		11 05	Bigler	6 52		6 53
7 37		10 58	Wallaceton	6 57		6 59
7 28		10 50	Morrisdale Mines	7 06		7 07
7 20		10 41	Lv Munson Ar	7 15		7 15
6 55		10 16	Lv PHILIPSBURG Ar.	7 40		7 40
7 40		11 01	Ar PHILIPSBURG Lv.	6 55		6 55
7 18		10 36	Ar Munson Lv	7 17		
7 12		10 32	Winburne	7 22		
6 48		10 12	PEALE	7 40		7
6 26		9 50	Gillintown	7 57		8
6 16		9 43	SNOW SHOE	8 04		8
5 18		8 48	BEECH CREEK	8 48		8 5
5 05		8 33	Mill Hall	9 01		9 1
4 58		8 25	LOCK HAVEN	9 07		9 1
4 47		8 15	Youngdale	9 16		9 2
4 35		8 00	JERSEY SHORE Junc.	9 29		9 40
4 30		7 55	JERSEY SHORE	9 30		9 45
†4 00		††7 25	Lv WILLIAMSPORT Ar	10 05		10 20
p.m.		a.m		a.m.		p.m.
p.m.		a.m.	(PHILA. & READING RY.)	a.m.		p.m.
†2 40		*6 55	At WILLIAMSPORT Lv	†10 20		*11 30
*8 35		*11 30	Lv PHILADELPHIA Ar	5 05		7 10
†4 30			Lv NEW YORK via Tamq. Ar	6 00		
		§7 30	Lv NEW YORK via Phila. Ar	7 25		§9 30
a.m.		p.m.		p.m.		a.m.

* Daily. † Week-days. § 5 00 p.m. Sunday. ‡ 10 55 a.m. Sunday.

"b" New Pork passengers traveling via Philadelphia on 10 20 a. m. train from Williamsport, will change cars at Columbia Ave Phila.

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BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD—On and after Monday, December 21st, 1896, trains will run as follows, leaving the P. R. R. station.

WESTWARD. Mail.	Exp.	Accm.	College	EASTWARD. Mail.	Exp.	Accm.	Bellf
†5	†3	†1		†2	†4	†6	
p m	a m	a m	Lv	Ar	a m	p m	p m
4 20	10 30	6 20	Bellefonte	8 50	2 10	6 45	
4 26	10 37	6 37	Coleville	8 45	2 00	6 35	
†4 30	†10 42	†6 40	Morris	†8 42	†1 55	†6 30	
†4 33	†10 47	†6 44	Whitmer	†8 40	†1 47	†6 25	
†4 38	†10 53	†6 50	Hunters	†8 35	†1 40	†6 20	
†4 41	†10 56	†6 53	Filmore	†8 33	†1 35	†6 17	
†4 45	†11 02	†7 00	Briarly	†8 29	†1 30	†6 12	
4 48	11 05	7 05	Waddle	8 25	†1 25	6 08	
†4 50	†11 08	†7 08	Lambourn	†8 23	†1 22	†6 05	
†5 00	†11 10	†7 17	Krumrine	†8 12	†1 07	†5 51	
5 04	†11 33	†7 22	Universityinn	†8 07	1 02	†5 47	
5 05	11 35	7 23	State College	8 05	1 00	5 45	
†5 10	†11 24	7 28	Struble	†7 50	†1 04	†5 30	
†5 17		†7 34	Bloomsdorf	†7 45		†5 23	
†5 20		7 40	PineGrv Crosg	7 40		5 20	

Morning trains from Montandon, Lewisburg Williamsport, Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No. 7 for State College, Afternoon trains from Montandon, Lewisburg, Tyrone and No. 3 from Lock Haven connect with train No. 11 for State College. Trains from State College connect with Penna R R trains at Bellefonte.

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KATRINKA.

Katrinka, fresh as the morning,
Gazed from her casement low.
Far off the great sailed windmills
Stood darkly in a row,
And the sky with the changing splendor
Of dawn was all aglow.

"I wonder," thought the maiden,
Thrilled with the glorious sight.
"If all the beauty around us
And all the love and delight
Comes flooding the earth at sunrise
To bide with us day and night.

"I wonder if all the goodness
That makes us steady and true
Glides softly in with the dawning
To gladden us through and through—
To lift our hearts to the Giver
And help us in all we do.

"Yet, whether we lose it or keep it,
Depends upon many a thing—
Whether we're lazy or busy,
Whether we grumble or sing,
Whether our thoughts are noble,
Or whether they grovel and sting.

"Oh, the wonderful sky!" sighed Katrinka,
"How grand! But the day has begun.
There's breakfast and spinning and mending,
And kettles to shine—one by one.
Goodby, you dear, beautiful morning!
There's so much to do; I must run.

Bright little maiden, Katrinka,
In the land of the dyke and the sea.
They who live in the glow of the dawning
Are, all the world over, like thee.
Bearers of sunlight and gladness,
Faithful in shadow and sadness—
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The mails carry floods of petitions to Harrisburg daily. There are fashions in all things. The up to date petition is no longer of that appalling length that was considered necessary in former times, but a paper for which two cents will pay postage.

Since almost every town and city has its woman's club, literary, civic or suffrage, and its W. C. T. Union, petitions are sent to the organization to be discussed; if approved the officers are requested to sign on behalf of the organization and forward the same to their respective members of the Senate and House of Representatives.

The Pennsylvania Woman Suffrage Association has had a bill prepared and presented to this session of the Legislature amending the old Act of April 8th, A. D. 1833 in regard to the descent and distribution of the Estates of Intestates, further regulating the distribution of such estates. This amendment aims to place men and women on a perfect equality in regard to individual property when either husband or wife die without making a will. The greatest gain to women by the passage of this Act will be in the larger protection for widows in cases where there are children. The fact that the joint earnings of husband and wife belong to the husband is not changed by the proposed amendment. The question was asked by one of the older members of the Legislature 'Why provide so liberally for the second husband?" The second husband who is he? By the last census of Pennsylvania there are 65000 more men than women inhabitants, and three widows to one widower.

The Act of 1843 which gave married women the right to control their individual property was one of the most important state laws passed in the interests of women during this century. Next to this was the Act of 1873 which made married women competent to open and manage their own bank or savings bank accounts.

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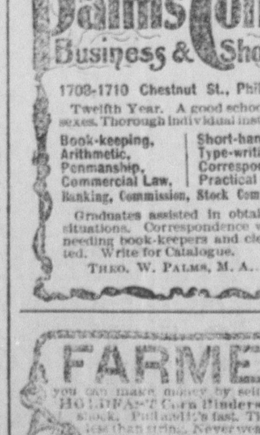

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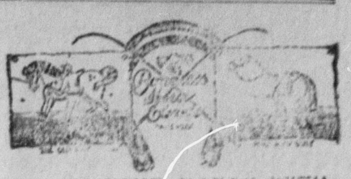

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To provide for the more effectual protection of the public health in the several municipalities of this Commonwealth:

SECTION 1. Be it enacted, &c., That every physician located or practicing in any of the municipalities of this Commonwealth who shall know that any person whom he or she is called upon to visit, or who comes or is brought to him or her for examination, is suffering from, or is afflicted with, cholera, small pox (variols or varioloid), diphtheria, diphtheritic croup, membraneous croup, scarlet fever, typhoid fever, typhus fever, yellow fever, epidemic cerebro-spinal fever, relapsing fever or leprosy, shall forthwith make report in writing, or upon blanks to be furnished for that purpose, to the health authorities of the municipality in which said person may be located, which said report shall, over his or her own signature, state the name of the disease and the name, age and sex of the person suffering therefrom, and shall also set forth by street and number, or otherwise sufficiently designate the house, room, or other place in which said person may be located, together with such other information relating thereto as may be deemed important by said health authorities.

SECTION 2. Upon receipt by the health authorities of the existence of a case of cholera, small pox (variola or varioloid), scarlet fever, typhus fever, yellow fever, relapsing fever, diphtheria, diphtheritic croup, membraneous croup, or leprosy, in any of the said municipalities, they may at once place, or cause to be placed, in a conspicuous place or places, upon or near the house or premises in which said case may be located, a placard or placards upon which shall be printed in large letters the name or the disease in which the person or persons in said house or premises may be suffering as aforesaid as the case may be; Provided, That variola or varioloid shall be placarded as "small pox," and that diphtheritic croup and membraneous croup shall be placarded as "diphtheria," and said placard or placards shall remain thereon until such time as the rules and regulations established by the health authorities regarding the destruction or disinfection of infected bedding, clothing, or other articles which have been exposed to infection, and the disinfection of houses and premises have been fully complied with; Provided, That in addition to the placarding aforesaid, or in lieu of the same, the said health authorities may place a guard or guards upon the said house or premises.

SECTION 3. The head of the family occupying any house or premises upon or near which said placard or placards aforesaid may be placed, shall be liable for the fine or penalty provided by this Act in any case where such placard or placards are removed, defaced, covered up, taken down or destroyed, with his or her knowledge or consent, before the time provided by Section 2 of this Act.

SECTION 4. In the care and burial of the bodies of persons who have died of cholera, small pox, yellow fever, typhus fever, scarlet fever, relapsing fever, diphtheria, diphtheritic croup, membraneous croup, or leprosy, in any of the municipalities of this Commonwealth, it shall be the duty of the undertaker or other person or persons having the body in charge, to thoroughly disinfect or place every such body within the coffin or casket in which it is to be buried within six hours after being first called upon to take charge of the same; Provided, Said call is made between the hours of five antimeridian and eleven post-meridian, otherwise such body shall be so placed in such coffin or casket within twelve hours, the coffin or casket then to be closed tightly, and not again opened, unless permission be granted by the health authorities for special and satisfactory cause shown; Provided, that the health authorities in any municipality may adopt more stringent rules and regulations than are herein provided, for the disinfection, preparation and burial of the bodies of persons who have died of any of the diseases named in this Section, which rules and regulations they may from time to time alter or amend.

SECTION 5. The body of the person who has died of any of the diseases mentioned in Section 4, of this Act, shall not remain unburied for a longer period of time than thirty-six hours after death unless special permission be granted by the health authorities extending the time during which said body may remain unburied for special satisfactory cause shown. The head of the family, and the person or persons having charge of the funeral of such a body, shall be responsible for any violation of the provision of this Section.

SECTION 6. All services held in connection with the funeral of the body of a person who has died of any of the diseases mentioned in Section 4, of this Act must be private, and the attendance there at shall include only the immediate adult relatives of the deceased, and the necessary number of adult pall-bearers, and any advertisement of such funeral shall state the cause of death. The head of the family, and the person or persons having charge of such funeral services shall be responsible for any violation of the provisions of this Section.

SECTION 7. The body of a person who has died, of any of the diseases mentioned in Section 4, of this Act, shall in no instance be taken into any church, chapel, public hall or public building, for the holding of funeral services. The head of the family and the person or persons having charge of said funeral services, and the sexton, janitor or other person or persons having charge or control of such church, chapel, public hall or public building, shall be responsible for any violation of the provisions of this section.

SECTION 8. No undertaker or other person or persons having charge of the funeral or burial of the body, of a person who has died of any of the diseases mentioned in Section 4, of this Act, shall in any case furnish or provide for such funeral, more than the necessary number of conveyances for said adult relatives and pall-bearers, and all such conveyances which may have been used or occupied by any person or persons who have been residing in the same family or house with the deceased, shall be fumigated and disinfected at such time, and in such manner as may be directed and required by the health authorities.

SECTION 9. The body of a person who has died of any of the diseases mentioned in Section 4, of this Act, shall not be conveyed to or from any dwelling or any building or place, to any cemetery or other point or place, within or through any of said municipalities, except in a hearse or other vehicle used for the purpose of conveying corpse only, or in such vehicles as shall be satisfactory to the health authorities, and under such regulations as they may in any case adopt. The undertaker and the person or persons having charge of the funeral or transportation of such body shall be responsible for any violation of the provisions of this section.

SECTION 10. Upon the removal to hospital or other place, or upon the discharge by recovery or death, of any person or persons who have suffered from the diseases mentioned in Section 4, of this Act, the premises where the said disease existed shall be fumigated and disinfected, and the bedding, clothing and other infected articles destroyed or disinfected, at such time and in such manner as may be authorized and required by the health authorities. The head of the family or the person or persons having charge of the premises shall be responsible for any violation of the provisions of this section.

SECTION 11. No child or other person belonging to or residing with the family of any person, or residing in the same house in which any person may be located who is suffering from cholera, small pox, (variola or varioloid) scarlet fever, typhus fever yellow fever, diphtheria, diptheritic croup, membraneous croup, or leprosy, shall be permitted to attend any public, private parochial, Sunday or other school in said municipalities, and all school principals, Sunday School superintendants or other persons in charge of such schools, are here by required to exclude any and all such children, and persons from said school. such exclusion to continue for a period of thirty days, following the discharge by recovering or death of the person last afflicted in said house or family, or his or her removal to hospital, and a thorough disinfection of the premises, and all such children or other persons as aforesaid, before being permitted to attend or return to schools, shall furnish to said principal or other persons in charge of said schools, a certificate signed by the medical attendant of said children or persons, or by a physician to be designated by the health authorities of said municipalities, setting forth that the thirty days mentioned in this section have fully expired. Provided however, that the health authorities may by rule or regulation provide that such certificates shall only be given by a person to be designated by said authorities, and in such case no other certificates shall be recognized.

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SECTION 21. Any physician, undertaker principal of a school, superintendent of a Sunday school, sexton, janitor, head of a family or any other person or persons named in this Act, who shall fail, neglect or refuse to comply with, or who shall violate any one of the provisions or requirements of this Act, shall for every such offense, upon conviction thereof, before any Mayor thereof, burgess alderman, police magistrate, or justice of the peace, of the municipality, in which said offense was committed, be liable to a fine or penalty therefor of not less than five dollars, no more than one hundred dollars, which said fines or penalties shall be paid into the treasury of said municipality, and in default of payment thereof such person or persons so convicted shall undergo an imprisonment in the jail of the proper county for a period not exceeding sixty days.

Approved—The 18th, day of June, A. D. 1895.

DANIEL H. HASTINGS.

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—How is this for ground hog weather.

There is no Word so Full of Meaning

and about which such tender recollections cluster as that of "MOTHER"—she who watched our helpless infancy and guided our first tottering step. The life of every Expectant Mother is beset with danger.

"Mother's Friend"

so assists Nature in the change taking place that the Expectant Mother is enabled to look forward without dread to the hour when she experiences the joy of **Motherhood.** It insures safety to both Mother and Child, and she is found stronger after than before confinement—in short, it "makes Childbirth easy," as so many have said. Don't be persuaded. Use nothing but

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"My wife suffered more in ten minutes with either of her other two children than she did altogether with her last, having previously used four bottles of "Mother's Friend." It is a blessing to anyone expecting to become a mother, says a customer." HENDERSON DALE, Carmi, Ill.

Sent by Mail, on receipt of price, $1.00 PER BOTTLE. Book "To Expectant Mothers" mailed free, containing valuable information and voluntary testimonials.

THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., ATLANTA, GA. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

One Compositor's Work.

Sixty five years ago Hiram Lukens entered the intelligencer office at Doylestown to learn printing, and he is there yet, setting type as fast as anybody around the place. His record of continuous service with one establishment is probably unequalled in the business. Several times the management has changed hands, but he has never left his case. Three sets of floor boards have worn away under his feet in that long time, and 130 pairs of thick soled boots have been put on the retired list. For over 19,500 working days his eyes have been trained on the type, but still his vision is unimpaired and he handles the smallest size with ease. It is fair to estimate that he has set and distributed an average of 8,000 ems of type a day, or a total in sixty-five years of 156,000,000 ems. This is equal to 28,888 columns of common type—enough for all the reading matter in The Record for over a year and a half. Beside attending to ordinary duties he has trained at least 150 apprentices, but not one of the lot could ever show so clean a proof as he. Very few of them approached him in point of rapid composition,— Philadelphia Record

Thousands are suffering excruciating misery from that plague of the night, Itching Piles and say nothing about it through a sense of delicacy. All such will find an instant relief in the use of Doan's Ointment. It never fails.

Plans for a New Capitol.

Harrisburg, Feb. 15.—Governor Hastings to-day signed the joint resolution authorizing him to solicit plans for the proposed new capitol building. He will at once arrange to facilitate the work of building by getting plans. Next Monday night on the re-assembling of the legislature the governor will send in a comunication on the condition of the revenues of the commonwealth and his views on the matter of raising money for the building of a new capitol. Captain Delaney, the superintendent of public buildings and grounds, is hustling with a large force of workmen to get Grace Methodist church in shape for the re-assembling of the legislature. New desks were placed in position to-day.

Fractional Currency for Cuba.

Havana, Feb. 15.—The official Gazette to-morrow will publish two decrees, the first of which provides for making compulsory the circulation of scrip at par with silver; for the trial of depreciators of paper money upon charges of being in league with the rebels, and for the sending of an order to the American Bank note company, of New York, for the printing of fractional currency, which is to be immediately executed. The second degree provides regulations for the sale of lottery tickets. It is announced that Captain General Weyler has expressed himself as satisfied with the operations of the Spanish forces in Cuba. It is also stated that he favors the cultivation of tobacco, instead of sugar cane in the island.

The News From Cuba.

Havana, Feb. 16.—Much adverse comment has been excited, even among Spaniards, here by the fact that the house of refuge is the only place in the city in which women prisoners are kept. The "Diario de la Marina" today denounces the place. and declares it an outrage that women of high social standing who are arrested on suspicion of having rebel sympathies should be compelled to associate with the class of women for which the prison is intended. There are only 42 cells in the place, yet 74 women are confined there.

In view of the scarcity of meat here, a petition has been presented to the government asking that free importation be allowed of cattle from Mexico and the United States. The steamer Satrustegui arrived today from Barcelona. She brought 700 troops and a large number of officers. Weyler remains at Cabarian, in the Ciefuegos district. The "Diario de la Marina" says that Santo Domingo advices announce the death of Quintin Bandera, the well-known rebel leader.

Washington, Feb. 16.—The Treasury Department this afternoon directed the collector of customs at Philadelphia to issue clearance paper for the Bermuda to sail, provided that proper affidavit of intention of sailing destination is made.

New York, Feb. 16.—A "World" special from Key West says that 700 Spaniards under Col. Sanchez last week attempted to capture the dynamite gun which was stored in Gen. Morano's camp and which they supposed to be without ammunition. As the Spanish troops advanced the insurgents met them with a rapid fire of musketry and then retreated as if in disorder up a narrow gorge into a second set of works. The Spaniards, thinking victory was in their grasp, rushed forward. No sooner had they fairly entered the cul de sac than the dynamite gun opened on them. The first shell killed dozens in the front rank. A second shot did still more damage and then a third and fourth. By this time the troops had managed to get out and an insurgent charge completed the rout. More than 300 Spaniards are said to have been killed, wounded or captured, five officers being killed. The Cubans lost 75 men. The Spanish prisoners were sent to the Spanish camp at Candelaria, with a note from the insurgent commander asking the Spanish officer to deal as humanely with insurgents who fell into his hands.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Cuban Insurgents Defeated.

Havana, Feb. 15.—General Aldave, with two columns of Spanish troops, has entered the town of Siguanea, in the province of Santa Clara, defeating the insurgent forces which were entrenched there and pursuing them to the Niguendo hills.

There have appeared in the columns of this paper for several years the advertisements of Ely's Cream Balm, a remedy for Catarrh, Cold in the Head, and for Hay Fever. It is with much pleasure that we can call the particular attention of our readers to the fact that this article stands very high among remedies, and particularly high as a catarrh medicine. Ely Brothers, we are informed, have had long experience as druggists and pharmacists, and a remedy coming from such a source should have the confidence of those desiring a reliable preparation. One fact that should inspire confidence in their catarrh cure (Ely's Cream Balm) is that they are willing to have it put up to the test, and in order that every one may try it they are now offering a generous trial sized through the druggists, or will mail it on receipt of 10 cents. The full size is 50 cents per package. You need not hesitate to send to them for the remedy. Their address is 56 Warren Street, New York City.

Machine Bolt Trust Collapses.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 15.—The great machine bolt trust has gone to the wall. It comprised all the leading machine bolt manufacturers in the country. The cause of the downfall of the trust was sharp competition, forced by the distrust and jealousy of some of its members. The combination was formed last April, for the purpose of governing the price of machine bolts and regulating the output. Within the past few months some of the members of the trust have made repeated cuts under the trust price.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is known to be an honest medicine, and it actually cures when all others fail. Take it now.

—Zach Steele, an old Bellefonte boy, was on Tuesday elected a member of council in the Sixth ward of Tyrone. The vote stood as follows: Steele, R, 80; Banks, D. 10; Hicks, P, 12.

$3,400.00 CASH AND PRIZES GIVEN FREE EACH MONTH FOR Sunlight SOAP WRAPPERS

As follows:

4 First Prizes, each of $100 Cash	- -	$ 400.00
20 Second " " " $100 PIERCE SPECIAL Bicycles*		2,000.00
40 Third " " " $ 25 Gold Watches	-	1,000.00
Cash and Prizes given each month	- -	$3,400.00
		12
Total given during 12 mos. 1897,		$40,800.00

HOW TO OBTAIN THEM.

Competitors to save as many SUNLIGHT SOAP Wrappers as they can collect. Cut off the top portion of each wrapper, that portion containing the heading "SUNLIGHT SOAP." These (called "Coupons") are to be sent, postage fully paid, enclosed with a sheet of paper stating Competitor's full name and address and the number of Coupons sent in, to Lever Bros., Ltd., New York, marked on outside Wrapper (*top left hand corner*) with NUMBER of the DISTRICT Competitor lives in.

No. of District	NAME OF DISTRICT.
1	New York City, Brooklyn, Long and Staten Islands, New Jersey.
2	New York State (*outside of N. Y. City, Brooklyn, Long and Staten Islands*).
3	Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, West Virginia and District of Columbia.
4	The New England States.

*The Bicycles are the celebrated Pierce Special, 1897 Pattern, m'f'd by Geo. N. Pierce & Co., of Buffalo, Boston and New York. Fitted with Hartford Tires, First Class Nickle Lamp, New Departure Bell, Standard Cyclometer, and Hunt Lace Saddle.

RULES.

1. Every month during 1897 in each of the 4 districts prizes will be awarded as follows:

The 1 Competitor who sends in the **Largest Number** of coupons from the district in which he or she resides will receive **$100 Cash.**

The 5 Competitors who send in the **Next Largest Numbers** of coupons from the district in which they reside will **Each** receive at winner's option a lady's or gentleman's **Pierce Special** bicycle, price $100.00.

The 10 Competitors who send in the **Next Largest Numbers** of coupons from the district in which they reside will **Each** receive at winner's option a lady's or gentleman's Gold Watch, price $25.

2. The Competitions will **Close the Last Day of Each Month** during 1897. Coupons received too late for one month's competition will be put into the next.

3. Competitors who obtain wrappers from unsold soap in dealer's stock will be disqualified. Employees of Lever Brothers, Ltd., and their families, are debarred from competing.

4. A printed list of Winners in Competitor's district will be forwarded to Competitors in about 21 days after each competition closes.

5. Lever Brothers, Ltd., will endeavor to award the prizes fairly to the best of their ability and judgment, but it is understood that all who compete agree to accept the award of Lever Brothers, Ltd., as final,

LEVER BROS., Ltd., New York.

Mind this. It makes no difference,

RHEUMATISM Chronic, Acute, or Inflammatory

of the Muscles, Joints, and Bones is cured by

SAINT JACOBS OIL TRY IT

THE REASON WHY.

Every Why Has a Wherefore and 'Tis Well to Look for at Times.

In these days people want to know the, whys and wherefores. The 19th century man is a natural skeptic. The why and wherefore of such a plan. He reads statements of supposed facts. He is told of every ailment of mankind can be cured. He has an ailment and tries some panacea It fails; he tries another with the same result. Such experiments make him look askance at future claims. Often the fault is his, but he don't say why. He may have a weak back. He used plasters and liniments, they relieved him for a time, but failed to cure the trouble. That is his fault; the why is that he did not know the wherefore of his aches. Had he known that the kidneys were the cause, that backache generally means kidney ache. That the kidneys must filter the blood constantly. That failure to do so immediately affects the back. That backache is only the first step toward many kidney disorders. Urinary troubles follow. Retention of urine. Excessive urine. Diabetes—Bright's disease. Doan's Kidney Pills are a positive specific for all kidney complaints.

The aching back has made no greater enemy than Doan's Kidney Pills. Not injurious to the most delicate constitution. Do not act on the bowels, but direct on the kidneys.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Sent by mail on receipt of price by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Table Talk.

The February number of Table Talk opens with "The Lobster at Home," by Helen Louise Johnson, one of the most comprehensive and valuable articles written upon this subject which is at the same time bright and entertaining, giving as it does the complete life-history, as well as the various methods of its preparation for the table. In addition to this and the regular Departments "Housekeepers' Inquiries," "The New Bill of Fare," Menus, regular and special," Seasonable Receipts," Fashions Entertainments (for a St. Valentine's Party among others), all of which are very helpful to the housekeeper and home-maker, the issue contains an interesting article on the Quotation Menu; an account of some "Culinary Legacies from the Indians," by Martha Bockee Flint and one on "Ancient Salads" by Elizabeth Grinnell, as well as mention of the latest novelties, books of interest and so forth. Any of our readers are offered a sample copy of the magazine free, if they will address Table Talk Publishing Co, Philadelphia, Pa.

Catarrh, Hay Fever, Colds in the Head.

Dr. Agews Catarrhal Powder gives instant relief in most acute cases, and never fails in a permanent cure. The simplest cold in the head may sow the seeds of this offensive disease. Be on the safe side—use the tried and tested remedy—it's delightful to use—cleanses the nasal passages in a few minutes.

On the 25th of this month it will be just fifty years since the creation of the Pennsylvania railroad company; It was on the 25th day of February, 1847, that Francis R. Shunk, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania' issued the letters patent creating it. Before that day there was no corporation of the name. The company previously was an embryo and its birth depended on the commissioners appointed under the enabling act of April 13, 1846, being able to certify that the provisions of the act which were conditions precedent, had been complied with. It was not, however until March 31, 1847, that the organization was perfected by the board of directors, elected the previous day, meeting and assuming control.

Proposed Big Contract for Armor Plate.

Washington, February 15.—Mr. Lorimer, of Illinois, after a conference with the Secretary of the Navy, introduced a bill in the House to-day to authorize that official to make a contract with the Illinois Steel Co. to supply armor plate for ships at $200 per ton, which is $263 per ton less than the present price. Mr. Gates, the president of the Illinois company, has been in the city some days and states that his associates will agree to put up a plant to cost $3,500,000 if the contract asked for is awarded them.

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The Gubernatorial Bee.

Like the lengthening days of the season, the list of those who are looking cheerfully forward to a nomination for Governor next year gets longer all the time. Among those whose names have got mixed up with this ambition, designedly or otherwise, are:—

Lieutenant-Governor Lyon, Allegheny.
Congressman Stone, Allegheny.
Congressman Stone, Warren.
Congressman Huff Westmoreland.
Congressman Connell, Lackawanna.
Congressman Leisenring, Luzerne.
Speaker Boyer, Philadelphia.
Judge Samuel Miller, Mercer.
Secretary Reeder, Northampton.
Congressman Mahon, Franklin.
Attorney General McCormick, Lycoming.
Auditor Mylin, Lancaster.
Adjutant General Stewart, Montgomery.
State Treasurer Haywood, Mercer.
Judge Wickham, Beaver.
Congressman Grow, Susquehanna.
John Wanamaker, Philadelphia.
Congressman Robinson, Delaware.
Commissioner Gilkeson, Bucks.
Congressman Heiner, Armstrong.
Judge Harry White, Indiana.

There are still a number of counties, including Centre, yet to hear from, but the returns generally have not been very slow up to this time. There is plenty of room for all. Philadelphia Press.

There is plenty of good material left in old Centre to fill this office. Ex-Judge A. O. Furst is said to have the Gubernatorial bee buzzing in his bonnet. We can even supply the democratic nomination. How would Collector of the Port P. Gray Meek strike you.

Funeral of Mrs. Rachel Larimer.

The last sad rites and ceremonies over the remains of Mrs. Rachel Larimer took place this morning at ten oclock from the residence of her son R. G. Larimer on East High street. On account of the illness of Dr. Laurie the services were conducted by Rev. Wright of Milesburg, assisted by Rev. J. W. Rue of the Methodist church. There was a large attendance of sorrowing friends and relatives. The pall-bearers were D. F. Fortney. Wm. A. Ishler, Samuel Shaffer J. Fearon Mann, John Noll and James Harris. Interment in the Lutheran cemetery at Pleasant Gap.

Get It.

This week's (Saturday) Williamsport "Grit" will contain the startling adventure of Dr. Fisher with a bear, Christ. Decker's ram, and Christ. Decker himself, which will be interesting reading. Also, a sketch of Rev. McEntire, with his portrait. "Grit" is sold by Charles Rine and boys on the street. Don't fail to secure a copy of this week's Saturday "Grit."

STATE Y. M. C. A. CONVENTION.

Many Prominent Men Will Attend the Annual Gathering at Reading.

Reading, Feb. 15.—One of the largest gatherings to be held in this city during the present year is the state convention of the Young Men's Christian association, which will meet here, commencing Thursday and continuing four days. Among the speakers already secured for the convention are General James A. Beaver of Bellefonte, Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman o. Philadelphia, President George E. Reed LL. D., of Dickinson college, Pastor C. I. Scofield of Northfield, Mass., International Secretaries Gilbert A. Beaver and George B. Hodge of New York city, Superintendent G. W. Creighton of the Pennsylvania railroad, of Harrisburg, and Sumner F. Dudley of New York.

A feature will be the conference of the ladies' auxiliaries of the Pennsylvania Y. M. C. A. to be held next Friday and Saturday. Fully 100 delegate are expected. They will be the guests of the local auxiliary.

Pills Dosed.

With nauseous, big purgers, prejudices people against pills generally. Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills are revolutionizing the pill demand-They're so pleasant and easy to take-The doses are small and so is the price-10 cents for 40 doses. Biliousness, Sick Headache, Constipation dispelled. Works like a charm.

An Inducement for Sale Holders.

The REPUBLICAN jobbing department is prepared to print sale bills with quickness, neatness and economy. Good printing of a job always pleases the patron. All persons getting their sale bills printed at this office gets the benefit of free advertising by having their name, date of sale, etc., placed in the sale register in both the BELLEFONTE REPUBLICAN and DAILY NEWS. This publication insures the giving of wide publicity to the sale announcement. d&wtf

Constipation

Causes fully half the sickness in the world. It retains the digested food too long in the bowels and produces biliousness, torpid liver, indigestion, bad taste, coated tongue, sick headache, insomnia, etc. Hood's Pills sure constipation and all its results, easily and thoroughly. 25c. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills

Were Walking on the Track.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., February 17.—Samuel Spencer, sr., aged 75 years and Samuel Spencer, jr., aged 40 years, father and son were killed at Wyalusing late this afternoon. Both men had been walking on the Lehigh Valley railroad track and were struck by the Black Diamond express. Their mangled remains were found a hundred yards from the track and were removed to their homes in Hollenback, Wyoming county.

HOW TO FIND OUT.

Fill a bottle or common water glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates a diseased condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is positive evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

WHAT TO DO.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in relieving pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar. For a sample bottle and pamphlet, both sent free by mail. mention the REPUBLICAN and send your full post office address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghampton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

The growth of this county is well illustrated by the wonderful increase of the mail matter and number of post offices. Postmaster-General Wilson gives a great deal of valuable information in this week's issue of The Youth's Companion in a paper entitled, "Early Days of the American Post-Office." Every patriotic American should read it.

A Reliable Woman Wanted.

We want a reliable woman in every County to establish a corset parlor for the sale of Dr Nichols' Celebrated Spinal Supporting Corsets and "Double from End to End" Clasps, with Asbestos Lined Busk Protector. Every pair warranted not to break nor rust, absolutely impervious to moisture or prespiration. A new pair given for every pair that breaks. Guarantee printed on each corset. Recommended by over 10,000 Physicians. I furnish complete stock on consignment and pay a salary of $40 to $65 per month and expenses. $3.00 sample outfit free. Send 10 cents postage for sample and terms.

Nichols Manufacturing Co.,
378 Canal Street, New York.
f1 1mo.

Died at Madisonburg.

Mrs. John Wesner, mother of Mrs. C. S. Messerley, of Lock Haven died at Madisonburg, Centre county, early Friday morning after a long illness from a complication of diseases, Mrs. Wesner was formerly a resident of Lock Haven and will be remembered by many of the older inhabitants. She was in her 64th year. The husband and the following named children survive: John, of Philadelphia; Mary of Philadelphia; Mrs. C. S. Messerley, of Lock Haven, and Maggie, at home. The remains were brought to the residence of C. S. Messerley where on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, services were conducted by Rev. T. Derr. Interment at Highland cemetery.—L. H. Democrat.

Killed With a Fence Paling.

Hazleton, Pa., February 14.—Bidaliano Doneptlo, a stonemason, last night asked his employer, John H. Broadt, for some money which was due him for wages. Broadt refused to give him the money and the Italian made a pass at his employer with a knife. Broadt dodged, and seizing a fence paling, struck him on the head, killing him almost instantly. Broadt was arrested.

ALL HALLOW'S DEDICATED.

A Former Student at the Academy Is the Pastor.

Alfred McClure, who was a student at the Bellefonte Academy 20 years ago, is now pastor of All Hallow's church, Wyncote, Pa. The following account of the dedication of his church, which took place last Saturday, is taken from the Philadelphia Press:

Wyncote, Feb. 13.—The beautiful edifice of All Hallow's was consecrated to-day, Bishop Ozi Whitaker officiating. The clergy assisting the Bishop were Rev. Alfred McClure, rector of All Hallows; Rev. Robert Coles, Rev. George Kellar and Rev. S. C. Hill.

The sermon was preached by Rev. W. M. Grovner, of the church of the Incarnation, New York. Dr. Grovner set forth at length the value of suburban churches to the church at large and pleaded earnestly for united effort in all work pertaining to the continuance of spiritual growth. Bishop Whitaker then conducted the communion service.

Mrs. H. V. Peters presided at the organ. Charles Hewitt, representing the Church Erection Committee, presented the deeds to the Bishop. The chancel was decorated with palms and lillies.

Rev. Alfred J. P. McClure is a graduate of Princeton College and the Philadelphia Divinity School. Mr. McClure was for three years secretary of the Siberian Exile Association, secretary of the Pan Republican Congress Organizing Committee, member of the Municipal League, and one of the Executive Committee of the Lincoln Independent Republican movement.

One of the most remarkable organizations which Mr. McClure has promoted successfully is a "Saloon Substitute," at Point Breeze avenue and Tasker street, known as the 'R,' where soft drinks and cigars are sold. Lessons are given in bookkeeping, mathematics, mechanical drawing, carpentry, language and music.

Castanea Township Case.

In the superior court at Williamsport yesterday the care of overseer of Liberty township, Center county, vs. overseer of Castanea township, was heard. The suit arose from an order of removal taken out by the overseer of Liberty township, removing Charles Aikey and Samuel Aikey from that township. to the poor district of Castanea township. An appeal was taken to the lower court, and Judge Love discharged the order of removal at the cost of the appellants. The court adjourned to meet next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. No decisions have as yet been handed in. Lock Haven Democrat

Piles Cured in 3 to 6 Nights.

One application gives relief, Dr. Agnew's Ointment is a boon for Itching Piles, or Blind, Bleeding Piles, it relieves quickly and permanently. In skin eruptions it stands without a rival. Thousands of testimonials if you want evidence. 35 cents.

Y. M. C. A Boys at Shiloh Church.

Our young men of the Y. M. C. A. are making a great reputation for themselves over the county as evangelists. Quite frequently are they invited to take part in different revival services. Last evening Secretary F. H. Cota, James Hughes, Samuel Taylor, Emanuel Markle, Roger Bayard, Frank Taylor and Walter Bush made up a sledding party which visited Shiloh church near Rock Mills. Rev. Leisher, of Boalsburg, is the pastor of this church. All of the young men from Bellefonte took part in the service and acquitted themselves well. They took supper at the handsome home of John C. Miller and reported that they were royally entertained by this genial gentleman.

At Work Again.

A few applications of Salvation Oil will readily cure sprains and bruises, and heal cuts, burns and scalds. It is undoubtedly the best pain-cure on the market, and should be, ready for use, in every home in the land. Mr. Frank Stubenhaver 1337 Elm St., Dubuque, Iowa, states: "I used Salvation Oil on a sprained elbow, which threatened to prevent me from working, and after several thorough rubbings, I awoke the very next morning much relieved and able to go to work. Had I not used Salvation Oil I certainly would have lost a week's work, which would have amounted to many times the cost of a bottle of Oil. Everybody should keep Salvation Oil in the house." It is sold everywhere for only 25 cents.

For sale by C. M. Parrish.

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A Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of

INFANTS & CHILDREN

Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC.

Recipe of Old Dr SAMUEL PITCHER

Pumpkin Seed
Alx. Senna
Rochelle Salts
Anise Seed
Peppermint
Bi Carbonate Soda
Worm Seed
Clarified Sugar
Wintergreen Flavor.

A perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP

Fac Simile Signature of
Chas. H. Fletcher,
NEW YORK.

At 6 months old
35 DOSES—35 CENTS

EXACT COPY OF WRAPPER.

SEE THAT THE FAC-SIMILE SIGNATURE —OF— Chas. H. Fletcher. IS ON THE WRAPPER OF EVERY BOTTLE OF **CASTORIA**

Castoria is put up in one-size bottles only. It is not sold in bulk. Don't allow anyone to sell you anything else on the plea or promise that it is "just as good" and "will answer every purpose." See that you get C-A-S-T-O-R-I-A.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Public Sale.

Wednesday, March 17, 1897, W. O. Dougherty will sell 6 milch cows three will be fresh at time of sale, one a full jersey; one short horn bull, 16 months old; 5 head of young cattle, 2 Horses, one a bay mare five years old, the other a black horse 10 years old; 2 head of cattle, 2 brood sows, will have pigs at time of sale; 12 shoats, Osborn binder, Stahl hay rake, Deering mower, 2 horse wagon, 3 seated spring wagon, buggy, set of bob sleds, Michael fanning mill, grain drill, grain cradle, Allbright riding cultivator, 2 Allbright spring tooth harrows good as new, square harrow, Centre Hall corn planter, single cultavator, 2 Oliver chilled plows, hay fork rope and pullies all complete, a new Kreamer wagon and other articles to numerous to mention. On the farm of Henry Dale deed, one mile south west of Lemont, on the branch road, sale to commence at 1 o.clock p. m, sharp.

WILLIAM GOHEEN Auctioneer.

Thunder Storm Near Lewistown.

The Juniata valley was visited by a heavy thunder storm Monday after noon. The heavens were streaked with lightning and the thunder was terrific. In the vicinity of Lewistown rain fell in torrents.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over ¼ of much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15c. and 25c. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

Steel Rails—Tin Plate.

When steel rails were selling at $50 a ton and a tariff on them of $25 a ton the free traders desired the tariff on them to be reduced to $14 per ton. This was in 1882. In 1890 William McKinley's tariff bill reduced the duty on steel rails to $13.60 per ton, lower than the Democrats asked in 1882, and yet the Democrats were not satisfied and have been howling themselves hoarse ever since its passage against its inequity. Those beneficent patriots made no allowance for the McKinley law, which admitted 60 per cent. of all our imports free of duty, for the first time in the history of the government. Even the people of this country failed to appreciate the boon of free sugar which the McKinley bill gave them.

The same bill put a tariff duty on tin plate, which the patriots of free trade asserted could not be made here, and while they were arguing against it from a foreign manufacturer's point to sustain their assertion, American enterprise started the manufacture of tin plate, and to-day the country is dotted all over with tin plate mills turning out a better quality of tin plate at less cost than the foreign make. Over $35,000,000 worth of tin plate has been made and last year, 1896, over 40,000 persons were employed in that industry, and yet the free traders and their imitators are not happy.

Stiff duties in the beginning held the metal industries on this side o the Atlantic and now enables us to beard the British Lion in his den with American metals.

WANTED—SEVERAL FAITHFUL MEN or women to travel for responsible established house in Pennsylvania. Salary $780 payable $15 weekly and expenses. Position permanent. Reference. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The National Star Building, Chicago.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—IN THE Estate of Elizabeth Miller, deceased, late of Plainsfield, Illinois. Notice is hereby given that Ancillary Letters of Administration *cum testamento annexo* on the above estate have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

JOHN M. DALE,
Dec, 9th, 1896. Admr. c. t. a

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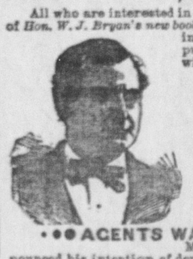

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Pittsburg, February 12.—When the United States district court was called to order at 2 o'clock this afternoon Attorney Charles A. Geddee, of Williamsport, approached the court and in an eloquent and impassioned address to Judge Buffington, made a last appeal for James B. Denworth the convicted pension attorney of Williamsport. He represented petitions from the citizens of Williamsport, Muncy, Lock Haven, South Williamsport, the Lycoming and Clinton county bar association, the ministers of Williamsport and the members of the Mulburry street congregation, of which Mr. Denworih was a member. all asking for suspension of sentence. Mr. Geddes joined the appeal.

Mr. Geddes was followed by Assistant District Attorney Griffith, who spoke of the evidence produced at the trial, admitted that the plaintiff, Mrs. Irene Figg, was not a proper person, but claimed that Denworth knew this and in procuring a pension for her he committed a crime for which he was indictable. Mr. Griffith also stated that on the witness stand Denworth had perjured himself. He ended by asking that sentence be pronounced.

Attorney Geddes indignantly denied the allegation of perjury and claimed that the contradiction referred to was simply another evidence of the carelessness of Mr. Denworth in his business matters. He said that it was not perjury because the statement was not made with the intent to deceive.

Judge Buffington in sentencing Denworth said: "I have no desire to wound your feelings in this matter, but we have an imperative duty to perform in this matter, which is paramount to our feelings. We appreciate your good service given to your country and have been most severe in matters of this kind, but owing to the letters and other influences which have been brought to bear on the court and the recommendation of the jury to the extreme mercy of the court, I have imposed a sentence which is very lenient, while it vindicates the majesty of the law. The sentence of the court is that you pay a fine of $1 to the government of the United States and undergo imprisonment in the Lycoming county jail for a period of three months and pay the cost of this prosecution."

James H. Denworth was convicted at the October term of district court held at Williamsport, Pa., of extorting illegal pension fees from Mrs. Irene Figg, a soldier's widow residing in Williamsport. The amount involved in the case is about $230. The pension secured by Denworth for Mrs Figg amounted to $679. Of this he advanced to her only on different occasions $211. When the pension was paid he gave her $57 more, leaving a balance in his hands of $230, which is the amount he is accused of extorting from Mrs. Figg.

At the last convention of the Grand Army, held in Chambersburg, Denworth was a candidate for the office of department commander and was defeated by a small majority by Alfred Darte. of Wilkesbarre. Mr. Denworth is a fine looking man, of about 55 years of age, and is six feet tall.

The National Guard Will Stay at Home.

Harrisbvrg, February 10.—It has been definitely determined that the National Guards of Pennsylvania will not take part in the inaugural ceremonies at Washington on the 4th of March. At past inaugurations the troops were carried free by the railroad companies, but the interstate commerce regulations interfere this year, A reduced rate of fare has been fixed, but even this low ate would make the cost of transportation of the Pennsylvania troops upwards of 30.000. The adjutant general cannot use any portion of the fund appropriated for the guards for this purpose and the condition of the state revenues make a special appropriation impossible. The railroad companies are desirous of transporting the troops of Pennsylvania, but as other states are demanding the same favor the trip had to be abandoned.

Strictly In It.

T. A. Lucas, of Howard, who is principal of a short hand college at Greenfield, Mass, in reporting a court trial for the Boston Daily Herald is paid the following compliment by that paper: "Court Stenographer Thomas A. Lucas who has made himself very popular with the newspaper men on the case, by his obliging and helpful manners and accomodating spirit, was tendered a testimonia. tonight by several reporters."

—This weeks *Grit* has the pictures and pedegrees of the two candidates for Chief burgess.

HEPTASOPHS BANQUET

Held at the Brockerhoff House Thursday Night.

JOHN M DALE AS TOAST MASTER

Installation of Officers for the Ensuing Year Held in Their Rooms Earlier in the Evening—Sixty Three Guests at the Banquet—District Deputy Johnson Present.

One of the strongest beneficial orders in the United States is the Improved Order of Heptasophs, of which there is a large and flourishing Conclave in this place.

Thursday they held their annual installation of officers for the ensuing year. in their rooms in Eagle block, after which they proceeded to the Brockerhoff House, where a sumptuous banquet had been prepared for them by mine host Neubauer and his capable assistants.

At the installation services Capt. Robert Johnson, of Altoona, the District Deputy, installed the following officers with appropriate ceremonies:

Archon, Jacob H. Gross; Secretary, H. H. Harshberger; Financier, F. E. Naginey; Treasurer, Chas. F. Cook; Past Archon, W. R. Brachbill; Provost, W. A. Ishler; Prelate, W. C. Kuhn; Inspector, S. H. Wian; Warden, George H. Hazel; Sentinel, J. O. Gillen; Trustees, Herman Holtz, D. C. Stine and P. Gerrity.

Promptly at 10 o'clock sixty-three guests sat down at the long tables laden with good things, in the handsome dining room at the Brockerhoff, and for two hours and a half enjoyed the feast which had been prepared for them.

At the head of one of the tables sat John M. Dale, Esq., the toast master of the evening; at the foot of the same table sat District Deputy Capt. Johnson, of Altoona. Almost every trade and profession was represented at this festive board and, indeed, it was an occasion worthy of note. The dinner, which consisted of many courses, was all that could be desired. Many of the dishes furnished were triumphs in the culinary art. Everything was served in the best style. The following was the bill of fare for the occasion:

Oyster Stew.

Sardines in Oil, Celery, Lettuce, Cavaiar.

Potages.

Consome Royal. Creme Saint Germain.

Hors-d'oevren.

Hormard Diplomate.

Relevee.

Filet of Beef, auxchampaignon.

Potatoes Duchene.

ENTRES.

Chicken Pattties a la Rachel.

Sweetbread caisses a la Cheron.

Pome en Surprise.

French Peas a la angalaise.

ROASTS.

Capon stuffed with chestnuts.

Saratoga Chips.

EXTREMETS.

Chicken Mayanaise.

DESSERT.

Gele d orange, Oriental, Charlotte russe.

Bisque Ice Cream, Neopolitains.

Fancy Cakes,

Cheese; Crackers, Coffee, Demistasse.

After the cravings of the inner man had been fully satisfied, cigars were passed around and everybody prepared to enjoy the intellectual part of the program.

John M. Dale, Esq., made a splendid toastmaster, and in a few witty and appropriate remarks thanked his Brothers Hetasophs for the great honor which they had conferred upon him by selecting him as toastmaster, and introduced the speakers of the evening and the subject upon which they were to speak.

The speakers all acquitted themselfs nobly and added greatly to their reputations as after-dinner speakers.

The first speaker introduced was Past Archon W. R. Brachbill, who responded to the toast, "Duties of Archon and how they have been discharged during my term."

H. H. Harshberger, Esq, made some very witty hits on his Brothers Heptasophs and answered to the toast, "As Secretary, and what responsibility rests upon him as well as the compensation he receives.

A. C. Mingle answered to the toast, "Treasurer, his duties and the pleasure connected therewith."

F. E. Naginey, the Financier of the local Conclave, gave some interesting facts in regard to the founding of the Improved Order of Heptasophs in this place. His subject was "Growth of the Conclave since its organization; its condition then and now."

The newly elected Archon, J. H. Gross responded to a toast and told what he expected to be accomplished during the coming year.

Chas. F. Cook spoke on "Fraternal Insurance."

Captain Johnson was next called on. His subject was "Advantages of the Heptasophs, their origin and their present condition, their growth." In his talk he explained very clearly the advantages of insurance in the company. Organized in 1878, they have grown until their income amounts to over $50,000 a month. In this Conclave, composed of Blair, Centre, Clearfield and Clinton, there have only been four deaths since 1892.

The last toast of the evening was responded to by T. H. Harter. As this was the anniversary of the birth of Lincoln, it was very fitting that some one should speak of this great man, and so Mr. Harter ably responded and gave some interesting reminiscences of Lincoln.

This ended the program and everyone departed felling that they had passed a very enjoyable evening.

A unique feature of the evening was this, the diners could sit and listen to the finest musical talent in the world, through the medium of an Edison Phonograph and funnel attachment, placed in the rear of the room. Some of the best singers in the country furnished the vocal music, and the Marine and Gilmour bands were listened to with pleasure.

Academy Literary.

The exercises of the Addisonian Literary Society, Academy Hall, Feb. 12th, were as follows:

The essay division was composed of

Herbert Hassinger,—"The Art of Pleasing."

Fred Larimer,—"Busy-bodies."

L. Hughes,—"True Refinement and Courtesy."

R. Meek,—"Motives of Study."

Ralph Cummings,—"The Study of History."

John Decker—"Live Within Your Means."

The recitation division reported as follows:

R. Valentine—"Emerson."

Norman Grauer—"Good-bye."

Frank Smith—"The Sea."

Arthur Fisher—"The Bright Side."

Wilson Gephart—"Why Should the Spirit of Mortal be Proud?"

The Senior division did not perform on account of extra work they are doing on the coming edition of "The Academy Mirror" for Friday, Feb. 19th.

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—James McMurtrie died at his home in Huntingdon, on Saturday morning, from the grip. He was a brother of Marshall McMurtrie, of this place.

THE ENTERING WEDGE

Little Greece Steps in Wher Greater Powers Fear to Tread.

CRETE IS TO BE GIVEN PROTECTION

A Turkish Minister Received, Told His Story and Treated Kindly But There is No Bringing Back of Ship.

Athens, Feb. 11.—The government has notified the powers that Greece cannot remain a mere spectator of the events taking place in Crete and the ties of race and religion compel her to intervene in the behalf of the oppressed and outraged Christians in that island. In the chamber of deputies last evening. Primier Delyannis said that either the Porte would be prevented by the powers from sending reinforcements to Crete or would persist in sending them there. In either case, the Premier declared, the Greek government had decided to take action promptly and decisively. When Crete demanded a union with the mother country, he said, Greece could not remain indifferent.

The leader of the opposition assured the Premier that the government would have the heartiest support of the opposition, an announcement that evoked prolonged cheers. The Cretan committee here are making preparations on a large scale to and men and munitions of war upon the shores of Crete, and the first installment of 600 men sailed last evening.

Word from Crete says that a fight occured at Kastelli, in the province of Kissamo, yesterday, in which 30 Christians and 100 Moslems were killed. Crowds continue to surround the palace, cheering the King in commendation of his action in sending war-ships to Crete. The royal yacht Sphakteria accompanies the Creek torpedo flotilla to Crete.

Assim Bey, the Turkish Minister, today visited the foreign office and, acted under instructions from his government, made a protest against the dispatch of the Creek torpedo flotilla to Crete. His protest was productive of no result. The Greek government will not recall the flotilla, and a second flotilla will soon start for Crete. Since the outbreak began fully 8,000 Cretans have arrived at the Piraeus.

Constantinople, Feb. 11.—The Porte has communicated by telegraph with the powers, asking their support in the efforts of Turkey to restore order in Crete and the ambassadors are conferring upon the question of exerting concerted pressure upon Greece to compel the recall of the Greek fleet from Cretan waters.

Musical Convention at Pleasant Gap

Beginning Monday evening, February 15th, Philip Meyer will conduct a musical convention in the Lutheran church, at Pleasant Gap, for one week. A number of singers have already signified their intention of participating and Miss May Myton of Huntingdon, will be there to entertain with her sweet voice.

Two grand concerts will be given. One on Friday night and the other on Saturday night. The proceeds of the convention are to be used in repairing the church building.

Murder by wholesale.

Vienna, February 11.—A story of whole sale murder reaches here from a small village in Hungary. It appears that there were a large number of unfaithful wives in the village who were desirious of ridding themselves of their husbands, in order that they might the more easily carried on their laisons with their lovers. Eighteen of them procured poison which they administered to their husbands with fatal results. The murders have caused the greatest excitement among the peasant, to which class the women and their victims belonged.

Gray—Hastings.

Edward P, Gray, of Half Moon, and Miss Mary A. Hastings, a daughter of Mr. Geo. Hastings, of Benner township were married at Montgomery, on Tuesday, by Rev. A. P. Wharton. The groom is a son of J. Green Gray, of Buffalo run, and represents a Shamokin cracker manufactory.

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National Economy.

Robert P. Porter, in his New York letter to the Philadelphia Inquirer of the 11th inst., shows that the national expenses since 1889 have been decreasing per capita. He says:

"Of all the cheap and nasty inventions of the partisan press the persistent charges of 'extravagance,' of 'jobbery,' of 'increased expenditure' by congress are by several degrees the worst. That the public press of the country should allow such charges to practically go uncontradicted indicates either indifference or indolence. A glance at the details of expenditures for the last eight years makes one marvel at the economy and care exercised over our appropriations by both political parties. No business man, watching with the utmost care the expense of an increasing business, could do better.

"This shows honesty, painstaking care in keeping appropriations down to the lowest notch, and integrity in the administration of national affairs. Why make our national legislators out a lot of reckless jobbers and worse? The fact is, and every business man knows it, an increased annual expenditure on public works and public buildings during these hard times would have been a boon to the unemployed labor and a wise investment for the country. Cheeseparing and parsimony is not always best in either public or private business."

Killed by a Mysterious Shot.

Dunbar, Pa., February 12.—An unknown Italian was shot here last night under mysterious circumstances, and died to day. While George W. Hershberger, a well known citizen, was walking up the railroad track from Fayette City last night, he was attacked by highwaymen, one of whom attempted to stab him. He escaped and, running into town, gave the alarm.

Officers Duncan and Wilgus started in pursuit of the highwaymen and coming upon a group of suspicious looking men near the Catholic church attempted their arrest. The men, who are Italians, resisted, and in the fight which followed one of them received a wound in the bowels from which he died at noon to-day. His companions were arrested and held on charges of resisting officers and carrying concealed weapons pending an investigation. Opinion is divided as to whether one of the officers or the Italians fired the fatal shot.

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All In Half A Day.

Clearfield Monitor. A German man a record at the court house this morning that is not likely to be equalled soon. He called at the prothonotary's office, got a certificate of divorce, secured a certificate of naturalization and then went to the register and recorder's office and got a marriage license—all in the forenoon. Clerk Rowles offered him another certificate' but he said he already had one of that kind for five years.

May Borrow Three Millions.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg railroad will be held at Ridgway, on March 25, to vote on the question whether or not an issue of $3,000,000 in coupon six per cent. debenture bonds shall be made. If the action is favorable $900,000 of the borrowed amount will be used to pay the floating debt.

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From U.S. Journal of Medicine

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Gas at Karthaus.

Word has been received that gas has been struck in the Salt Lick gas and oil well near Karthaus. The well is on the Centre county side of the river, opposite that town, and is the third well that is being drilled by this company. Gas was struck at the depth of 612 feet, and was strong and steady in force. The directors were at once notified and the drilling stopped. A meeting will be held in a few days by the directors to determine whether the well shall be shot or whether the drill shall go deeper. The people in that vicinity are greatly excited by the news.

We would like to look into the pleasent face of some one who has never had any derangement of the digestive organs. We see the drawn and unhappy faces of dyspeptics in every walk of life. It is our national disease, and nearly all complaints spring from this source. Remove the stomach difficulty and the work is done.

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LAXOL is Castor Oil made as sweet as honey by a new process. Children like it.

—At the meeting of the State Board of Agriculture at Harrisburg the Hon. J. McDowell, chairman of the committee on wool and wool growing, said that the clothes to be worn by President-elect McKinley at the inauguration would not contain a thread of foreign fabric. The broadcloth of the coat and vest and the doeskin of the trousers were made from the wools grown by the improved merino sheep on his farm in Washington county, once the home of over 600,000 sheep and the banner county for sheep raising and wool growing of the Union.

Arranging for the Conference.

The Clearfield Republican says arrangements are being perfected for the entertainment of the Methodist ministers during the Conference to be held at Clearfield this spring. A sub-committee consisting of Messrs. D. W. McCurdy, A. B. Shaw and George W. Rheem, have the matter in charge, and the various members of the church have notified them of their willingness to keep open house. As the membership numbers about 400, there will be no difficulty in caring for all who come, although from reports now in, the number will be very large. Of one thing visitors can rest assured, they will be cared for in a way creditable to the membership of the church although Clearfield is not so large as the towns where conferences have usually been held, it can show as much hospitality on proper occasions as any of them.

—John Wanamaker is going to build a church to celebrate his escape from fire. In the conflagration which destroyed a big business block his store was damaged to the extent of about $100,000, but many times it was threatened with total destruction and was save only by tremendous work by the fire department and his own store brigade. Mr. Wanamaker is an official of the Bethany Presbyterian church, and is superintendent of th Bible class. Accordingly, he has decided to buy a plot of ground in the south western section of the city and erect thereon a place of worship.

Fought to the Death.

Guthrie, Ok., February 4.—The report was received here this afternoon that about dark last night a gang of six or eight bandits attempted to rob the government offices and general stores at Sao and Fox agency and in the battle that followed one outlaw and three other men were killed among the dead being General Thomas, the Indian agent, formally at Atlanta, Ga. No particulars can be obtained and the reports cannot be vertified.

Merchants of Centre county are aroused against hawkers and peddlers, and are circulating petitions to the legislature requiring them to take out a license and that the fee be such as will do away with illegitimate dealers.

His Head Was Crushed.

Wilkesbarre, Pa February 11.—John Drake, of Wyoming, aged 40 years, was killed in this city while engaged in excavating a trench. A boulder of frozen dirt fell upon him crushing his head beyond recogn i tion.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRES

Office of the Pittsburg Post Destroyed Sunday Morning

THE LOSS WILL REACH $90,000

The Cellar of the Commercial Gazette Was Also Flooded—The Cause Thought to Be the Crossing of Electric Wires.

Pittsburg, February 14.—Fire this morning burned the building occupied by the Pittsburg Post, causing a loss of $90,000. The printing presses, one valued at $25,000 and the other at $10,000 were badly damaged. Ten type setting machines valued at $30,000 were ruined. The Post's loss will probably reach $70,000, covered by insurances. The building is owned by the J. N. McCullough estate and the loss on it will reach 200,000, covered by insurance. The fire is supposed to have started from the crossing of electric wires. The Post will issue its paper from the office of the Pittsburg Leader until new quarters are secured.

The press room of the Commercial Gazette was flooded with water and it will be necessary for to-morrow morning's edition of the paper to be printed elsewhere.

Williamsport, Pa., Feb. 14.—The second Presbyterian church was destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning. The fire evidently caught from the boilers and the air shafts in the walls between the false floors were smouldering before the blaze was discovered. Not a thing was saved. About 2,000,000 gallons of water was poured into the building, but it had no effect. The loss is $35,000, with an insurance of $30,000

This is the second time within two years that the structure has been baptized in fire. It will be rebuilt at once.

School Directors Meet.

Harrisburg, Feb. 10.—The second annual convention of the State Association of School Directors was called to order in the Supreme Court room this afternoon by H. H. Quimby, of Montgomery county, who made the annual address. He lamented the failure of the law providing for township high schools.

Governor Hastings was invited to be present and made an address. He said he was glad to welcome the school directors to the State capital and referred to the time when he was principal of schools in Bellefonte. The first office he ever held was that of a school director. He favored legislation looking to the accurate record of vital statistics. He attacked the present method of distributing the school appropriation as neither equitable nor just. His idea is to divide it in this way: One-third on basis of number of schools, one-third on basis of school attendance and one-third on basis of resident taxables. He also strongly favored township high schools.

H. H. Hubbert, of Philadelphia, responded to the address of welcome in a felicitous speech. Dr. N. C. Schaeffer, Superintendent of Public Instruction, made an address on school administration which was full of practical suggestions for the directors as to their powers.

This evening the question, "Should the State control and publish school text books," was discussed at some length.

Affairs in Cuba.

Havana, Feb. 4.—Since Captain General Weyler entered the Santa Clara province, about a week ago, his columns have had a series of encounters with various parties of rebels which were eventually dispersed. All the way from Las Cruces to Santa Clara the shooting on the part of the rebels increased and their movements became bolder, a party of insurgents even firing on General Weyler's camp on the river Sagua.

The vanguard of the Spanish columns also had to fight its way across the Sagua river, and other bodies of troops were compelled to do likewise at different places along the river where they assayed to cross. Despite these frequent encounters the losses reported were insignificant on both sides. Only two rebels were killed and seven wounded.

Various engagements have occurred in the vacinity of Sagua De Tanamo in which the rebels lost over sixty killed and wounded, and the troops had two privates killed and a naval commander and twenty-one privates wounded.

How to Get a Public Office.

Many desirable offices are within the gift of the new administration. Those who wish to know what places can be had and how to get them, can obtain this information by sending 75 cents to Soule & Co., Washington, D. C., for the "U. S. Blue Book," showing all government office and salaries with Civil Service rules, sample examination question, etc. Under present laws women stand an equal chance with men for positions that insure a comfortable income for life. The 'Blue Book' gives complete instruction for office seekers of both sexes, and is besides a valuable book of reference much in demand.

"A HAND SAW IS A GOOD THING, BUT NOT TO SHAVE WITH."

SAPOLIO

IS THE PROPER THING FOR HOUSE-CLEANING.

Speaks for the Ex-Queen.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Julius A. Palmer, the private secretary to Liliuokalani, ex-Queen of the Hawaiian Islands, in semi official utterance says that she did not abdicate her throne; that whatever she did was done under duress; and that the name signed to the document of abdication was not hers. Mr. Palmer asserted that her signature had no legal weight and could not be sustained in any court of equity. He continued: "I will be plainer if you wish. Do I mean that the Queen of Hawaii has never given a legal abdication; that she is still the lawful ruler, even if she forbears to enforce her legitimate rights? I do mean exactly that."

THE CENTURY

IN 1897.

ALL NEW FEATURES.

The Century will continue to be in every respect the leading American magazine. Its table of contents including each month the best in literature and art. The present interest in American history makes especially timely.

A GREAT NOVEL of the AMERICAN REVOLUION

its leading serial feature for 1897 and the masterpiece of its author, Dr. S. Weir Mitchell. The story, "Hugh Wynne, Free Quaker," purports be the autobiography of its hero, an officer on Washington's staff. Social life in Philadelphia at the time of the Revolution is most interestingly depicted, and the characters include Washington, Franklin, Lafayette and others well known in history. It is safe to say that the readers of this great romance will obtain from it a clearer idea of the people who were foremost in Revolutionary days, and of the social life of the times, that can be had from any other single source. The work is not only historically accurate, but is a most interesting story of love and war. The first chapters are in the November number. Howard Pyle will illustrate it.

CAMPAIGNING WITH GRANT,

By General Horace Porter,

is the title of a series of articles which has been in preparation for many years. General Porter was an aide on General Grant's staff and a close friend of the chief and the diary which he kept through the war is the basis of the present articles, which are striking pen pictures of campaign life and scenes. They will be fully illustrated. The first one is in the November Century.

A NEW NOVEL BY MARION CRAWFORD, author of "Mr. Isaacs," Saracinesca," "Casa Braccio," etc., entitled "A Rose of Yesterday," a story of modern life in Europe with American characters, begins in November. The first of a series of engravings, made by the famous wood engraver, T. Cole, of the old English masters also is in this issue. New features will be announced from time to time."

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Strike of Glass Workers Ended.

Ellwood, Ind., February 14.—The strike of the glass workers at the Macbeth factory ended last night by the men agreeing to return to work Monday and allow the court of appeals, composed of two manufacturers and two workers, which meets in this city next Wednesday to settle the differences. The difficulties which caused the walk-out have been pending for three years. President Smith, of the Glass workers' association, left for Pittsburg last night.

SCRIBNERS MAGAZINE

A RED-LETTER YEAR FOR 1897.

The entire novelty of many of the plans for 1897 is noticeable. For instance the series devoted to

'LONDON AS SEEN BY CHAS. DANA GIBSON." Mr. Gibso has not before appeared as a writer. He visited London last summer for Scribner's Magazine, for the purpose of depicting with pen and pencil those scenes and types which the huge metropolis presents in endless variety.

Of like novelty is the first considerable NOVEL BY RICHARD HARDING DAVIS, "Soldiers of Fortune." The hero is one of the most vigorous men that Mr. Davis has drawn. Illustrated by C. D. Gibson.

"THE CONDUCT OF GREAT BUSINESSES." A beautifully illustrated series of articles of which the following are already completed:

"The Great Department Store."

"The Management of a Great Hotel"

"The Working of The Bank."

"A Great Manufactory."

'UNDERGRADUATE LIFE IN AMERICAN COLLEGES." A series of articles touching upon the life of our older universities as represented by the doings of the students themselves. Judge Henry E. Howlan writes on "Undergraduate Life at Yale," Mr. James Alexander on "Princeton," and Robert Grant and Edward S. Martin on "Harvard."

"JAPAN AND CHINA SINCE THE WAR" will be a most interesting group of articles richly illustrated.

"THE UNQUIET SEX." Under the title of "The Unquiet Sex" Mrs. Helen Watterson Moody will write a series of articles:—"Woman Reforms," "The College-Bred Woman," "Woman's Clubs," and "The Case of Maria," a paper on domestic service.

W. D. HOWELLS'S "STORY OF A PLAY." In this Mr. Howells gives us the best novel he has ever produced in his delightful vein of light comedy.

GEORGE W. CABLE. In addition to the fiction enumerated there will be a series of four short stories by George W. Cable, the only ones he has written for many years.

HOW TO TRAVEL WISELY with a minimum of wear and tear must be regarded as an art little understood. Mr. Lewis Morris Iddings, in two articles will offer a variety of useful suggestions and data on "Ocean and Land Travel." This will be happily rounded out by an article from Mr. Richard Harding Davis on "Travellers One Meets: Their Ways and Methods." The illustrations by American and foreign artists will be highly pertinent.

*It is impossible in a small space to even mention the many attractive features for 1897. A beautiful illustrated booklet has been prepared, which will be sent postage paid on request.

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To Compel Men to Vote.

An important bill affecting the right of franchise has been introduced in the senate by Senator Andrews of Philadelphia, which aims to make voting compulsory. This act would require every qualified voter to cast a ballot each and every general election. Judges of elections are by it required to prepare a correct list after the polls close, of all voters who have failed to vote, this list to be transmitted to the clerks of the courts. The persons so failing to vote are to show cause before the court why a fine should not be imposed on them. Sickness or absence from the city in which the election is held is a valid excuse for voting The fine is fixed at $5 and costs and the property of the person so offending to the amount of $100 is to be exempt for liability for said fine and judgement. The fines collected shall go to the public school fund of the county in which they are imposed.

—Karstetters Bakery is the only place in town where you can get strawberry Ice cream. It is delicious.

HARPER'S BAZAR.

IN 1897

The BAZAR, a thoroughly up-to-date periodical for women, will enter upon its Thirtieth Volume in 1897.

As a Fashion journal it is unsurpassed, and is an indispensable requisite for every well dressed woman. Katharine De Forest writes a weekly letter on current fashions from Paris. In New York Fashions, and in the fortnightly pattern-sheet supplement, ladies find full details, directions, and diagrams for gowns, wraps, and children's clothing. Sandoz, Baude, and Chapuis draw and engrave the newest and finest Parisian designs every week.

The serial for 1897 will be: The Red Bridge Neighborhood, by Maria Louise Pool; and Father Quinnallion, by Octave Thanet. Short stories will be constantly presented by brilliant writers, among whom are Mary E Wilkens, Harriet Prescott Spofford Marion Harland Ruth McEnery Stuart, Viola Roseboro and Margaret Stutton Briscoe

What women are doing in various parts of the Union will form a series of special interest.

Other interesting features are The outdoor Woman, devoted to healthful sports and pastimes; Music, a weekly critical summary of music in New York; Amateur Theatricals; Embroidery and Needlework, Ceremony and Etiquette Good Housekeeping, "What Girls are Doing," "Current Social Events," and personals gleaned from original sources.

Women and Men Colonel T W Higginson will regularly continue his valuable essays.

Answers to Correspondents This column is conducted for the benefit and convenience of readers, and all questions received are answered in rotation, as promptly and fully as practicable.

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In directing attention, early and pointedly, to the availability of McKinley and Hobart for the Republican nominations in 1896, The Tribune played a well known and important part.

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Men and women leading busy lives have little opportunity for vacation; and for their entertainment and the amusement of the young, the Tribune will hereafter issue, with every Friday's Semi-Weekly, a colored serio-comic pictorial supplement of 16 pages, entitled "Twinkles." But in order to possess "Twinkles" a subscriber must hereafter remit the full sum of the Semi-Weekly Tribune—$2 a year—to The Tribune itself direct.

"Twinkles" is handsomely printed on superfine paper; and every one of its 16 pages is filled with jokes, witty paragraphs, and gossip about noted people, sprinkled amongst which are fifty or more political or other cartoons, in several colors, half-tone portraits of well known men and women (life-like as photographs), and humorous pen drawings. There is not a word or a picture unfit for the family; and the amusing contents of "Twinkles" will prove a welcome addition to the more serious contents of the paper.

"Twinkles" is virtually a five cent comic weekly, price 5 cents a copy; $2 a year. But it is given free to every one who orders the Semi-Weekly Tribune for one year and remits to The Tribune direct, the regular subscription price of $2 a year. He thus gets two $2 papers for the price of one. This is a bargain, considering that the Tribune is incapable of sending into any family anything which is unfit to be read there.

Sample copies of Friday's Semi-Weekly free.

Those who do not remit $2 to The Tribune direct will not receive the colored supplement.

THE TRIBUNE, New York.

The Bellefonte Republican

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—No communication published unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.
Correspondents should write upon but one side of the paper and avoid the use of pale or fancy inks.

EDWARD T. TUTEN.

Local Department.

—Did you hear anything drop.

—The most confident lover will get a tailor to press his suit.

—Tyrone has recently added a shoe factory to its list of industries.

—The Adelphi club of State College will hold a reception on F day, February 26th.

—Sechler, the grocer, expects to open a branch store at Snow Shoe about the 1st of March.

—A western publication called "Blood" has suspended publication. Its circulation was poor.

Always in season, Hopkins' Steamed Hominy (Hulled Corn). Elegant lunch in milk. Qt. can, 10c.

—Bellefonte society people are going to hold Bradley-Martin, only on a slightly smaller scale, in Bush Arcade hall, on the evening of Feb. 22nd.

—Temp. Cruse and a Mr. Hazel, of Bellefonte, drove down last Sunday and, of course, stopped at the Hotel Musser.—Millheim Journal.

"After suffering from dyspepsia for three years, I decided to try Burdock Blood Bitters. Two bottles cured me entirely." Mrs G. C. White, Taberg, Oneida County, N. Y.

—An old-time New England dinner will be ready for all at the Methodist church, from 5 to 9.30 p. m., this evening. All are cordially invited.

—There will be a chicken and waffle supper at the Evangelical church on Friday and Saturday evenings Feb. 19-20. Supper 25 cents, also oysters and ice cream. All are invited to be present and help along the good cause.

—George Noll, of Milesburg, a gallant soldier of Company F, Second Pennsylvania cavalry, during the war, was a Tyrone visitor on Tuesday. Mr. Noll runs a dairy farm and is doing a lively business.

"I was troubled with quinsy for five years Thomas' Eclectric Oil cured me. My wife and child had diphtheria. Thomas' Eclectric Oil cured them. I would not be without it in the house for any consideration." Rev. E. F. Crane, Dunkirk, N. Y.

—The March Century is to be an "Inauguration Number," devoted especially to articles on life in the White House and at the Capital, illustrated with a great number of interesting pictures, including two new portraits of Major McKinley and one of President Cleveland at his desk—all from photographs taken especially for The Century.

A large edition will be printed. The interest in The Century's serials, "Campaigning with Grant" and "Hugh Wynne, Free Quaker," is so great that both the January and February numbers went out of print almost immediately upon issue.

A Congregation's Narrow Escape.

The M. E. church at Milesburg commenced their annual revival services on Monday which will be continued for about a month. The church was crowded with people. There are two large chandeliers which hang suspended by iron rods from the ceiling over the centre of the church arch of which support six coal oil lamps. The congregation had just been dismissed, the last one had hardly left the building, and the janitors daughter, Miss Baird, was about to put out the lights, when the big chandelier near the door gave way and fell to the floor in the middle aisle with a crash. The pastor Rev. Geo. E. King and Mr. Lyman Eddy were at the door and hearing the noise ran back into the church just in time to grab up the broken lamps and throw them out thus averting a fire. Had it fallen ten minutes sooner when the aisle was full of people many would have been hurt and the result much more disasterous.

Choir Went to Howard.

The members of the choir of St. Agnes' Catholic church left Lock Haven Sunday morning in a large sleigh and were driven to Howard where they assisted at a high mass celebrated by Rev. Father Saas, in the Catholic church at that place, which is a mission of St. Agnes' parish, Lock Haven. Lock Haven Democrat.

Fire at Waddle.

About 3o'clock Wednesday morning fire destroyed the large farm house of William Furst who resides near Waddle, this county. The fire caught from the outside and is supposed to have been of incendiary origin. The family had barely time to escape with their lives, and five children were carried out with only enough clothes to cover them.

THE SPRING ELECTION

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Auditor—George Herman, 297, Ed Jones 254, Walter Gray 30.

Church Trustees—Mrs J G Platt, 358, Mrs. J C Hicklen 341, Mrs. D W. Holt, 504 Mrs. L G Lingle 172, Mrs. Geo. E Parker 172, Mrs. R Freeman 1.

LEMONT.

Judge of Election—Geo Dale 146, Wm. Tibbens 93.

Inspector—Jacob Klinger 150, C J Stamm 90.

School Directors—J S Herman 143, Geo Schall 182, Hiram Thompson 175, W Musser 141, W W Witmer 93, D B Grove 88, W E Grove 73, E Musser 55.

Tax Collector—A Lytle 133, W. C. Meyer 105.

Overseer of Poor—S C Bathgate 163, Peter Shultz 133, C H Kuhn 91, A J Tate 92.

Supervisors—S Glenn 143, Wm Lytle 156 Nathan Grove 85, E P Peters 96.

Auditors—Elmer Ross 147, Cyrus Wasson 141 D H Bottorf 96, Jno E Murray 71.

Justice of Peace—Cyrus Wasson 139, W H Close 98.

Treasurer Cornelius Dale 144, John A Rupp 98.

Town clerk—Wm Thompson 138, I J Dreese 101.

SPRING TWP.

School Directors—R M Kaup 262, Joe Miller 244, Wm Kerstetter 203, Henry Meyer 154.

Tax Collectors—Edward Jodon 285, John M Furey 158.

Overseer of Poor—Wm Brook 280, Joe Ross 165.

Supervisors S M McMurtrie 211, H Hartsock 230, Monroe Alters 177, Jno S. Yerick 242.

Auditors—Frank Hunter 232, Wm Ott, 198.

Justice of Peace—J H. Oliger, 257, J A Hazel 181.

Town clerk—John Kean 252.

HALFMOON TWP.

Judge, S D Eves 88, J H Hunter 37; inspector, J C Stevens 82, W R Biddle 42; school directors, E B Way 63, J A Way 70, H M Way 69, Emory McAfee 59, David Gates 37, G W Miller 45; tax collector, Wm Cole 77, John Ward 47; overseer of poor, C O Whippo 95, Jacob Cronister 29; supervisors, H B Waite 71, J I Gray 73, Isaac Behers 56, J P Sebring 44; auditor, J C Mattern 80, D C Harpster 45; township clerk, Harry Ellenberger 70, C M Thompson 73.

GREGG TWP.

School directors, W W Neese 115, M L Rishel 113, G W Ream 228, J P Heckman 262; tax collector, Isaac Smith 129, H D Rossman 222; overseer of poor, M Weagley 120, Henry Mark 242; supervisors, H I Foust 132, R D Musser 95, H M Cain 227, Thomas Sholl 256; auditor, W A Brown 82, W Goodhart 271; township clerk, R G Kennedy 87, H M Smith 252.

HOWARD BORO.

Judge, O W Brickley 32, W P Mitchell 73; inspector, L W Gross 68, G R Loder 35; school directors, L R Hensyl 57, John Wagner 47; burgess, D E Holter 55, W R Gardner 45; council, D L Welsh 57, H S Pletcher 50, James Kane 2ys 60, H A Moore 45, A Weber 53, Joseph Diehl 38; tax collector, J J Loder 43, Robt Cooke 4; overseer of poor, J D Thompson 65, I M Packer 1y 72, B Weber 40, Thos Butler 1y 27; auditor, Edward Smith 71, William Weber 33; town clerk, Grant Sweyer 76.

HAINES TWP.

School directors, A Musser 86, W R Matz 78, J W Krape 82, J N Orndorf 151, W A Gueiswite 153, Geo J Weaver 159; tax collectors, B F Burd 87, C H Weaver 153; overseer of poor, S M Motz 79, J J Orndorf 157; supervisors, A D Weaver 84, James Guiswite 86, L W Wert 155, C J Stover 146; auditor, J D Thomas 85, J W Winkleblech 152; justice of peace, E H Musser 88, Henry Reinhart 147; town clerk, Frank Guisewite 84, E L Stover 151.

UNIONVILLE.

Judge of election, A J St Clair 22, Wm Iddings 49, John Comley 1; inspector, W H Potter 43, Wm Moran 30; school directors, Jesse Cleaver 23, W G Womer 43, H E Holtzworth 55, Jas Boyer 30; burgess, A J St Clair 23, E M Griest 51; councilman, T E Greist 38, J C Stere 46, W H Summans 33, D Hall 36, A Hazel 27, J Brugger 43; tax collector, H Calhoun 72; overseer of poor, E A Russell 57, Jno Stephens 19; auditor, A B Musser 46, F J Taylor 29.

WALKER TWP.

Judge of electinn David Harshbarger 90 Thos Dunkle 170; school directors, J G Royer 83, Wm Decker 82, Jacob Dunkle 170, Michael Corman 139, W B Shoffer 31; overseer of poor, L E Swartz 92, John Gentzel 153, T Emerick 15; auditor, John Harris 77, B F Shaffer 180; town clerk, L C Kessinger 90, W H Markle 166, inspector, Potter Shamp 83, L H McCauley 155 W A Royer 23; tax collector, C Decke 92, E J Markle 166; supervisors, Claude Showers 94, D Rine 75, E. T Cole 161, J A. Emerick 182; justice of peace, B W Rumbarger, 142, Sol Peck 113.

BENNER TWP.

School director, G W Miller 65, I E. Longwell 54, John Meckley 91, D F Houser 96; tax collector, H G Mease 62, S H Hoy 93; overseer of poor, J P Seibert 58, W M Tressler 98; supervisors, P J Welty 55, J W. Marshall 59, J Roan 96, J P Ishler 96; auditors, Geo Hastings 58, E Roan 97; town clerk, Henry Woomer 68, L C Yearick 87.

CURTIN TWP.

Judge of election, D Sayers 54, W R McCloskey 38; inspectors, W R Welsh 50, Wilson Mann 33; school directors, W C Miller 50, Jno Wensel 63, J Fye 45, J D Brickley 36, P Robb 48, collector. D B DeLong 71; overseer of poor, J Mann 31, Peter Robb 55; supervisors. Wm Robb 37 G Weaver 58, Jno McCartney 59, Jno Brown 45; auditor, Ed Welsh 42, W Gray 46; justice of peace, John Knorr 25, J S Welsh 36, Wm Robb 27, Sam Guyer 37, town clerk, Wm Robb 50, W Mann 30.

FERGUSON TWP.

School directors, John Musser 162; W E McMillan 142, Jas S Strouser 153, J B Piper 130; tax collector, Milton Shuey 140 Samuel Harpster 159; overseer, J W Sunday 122 E. Sunday 171; supervisors. Geo Cronemiller 144, Pierce Gray 158, A G Archey 151, Frank Bowersox 133; auditor, J H Musser 136, G W Homan 160; clerk, F W Bailey 151, W J Meyers 143.

HOWARD TWP.

Judge of election, D Hall 58, Seph Leathers 68; inspector, Robert Traister 67, George Harpster 61; school directors, J Pheasant 75, N G Pletcher 58, T Deitz 59, Harvey Miller 71; tax collector, J W Adams 58, R C Leathers 66; overseer of poor, J W Smith 66, A M Butler 67; supervisors, Austin S Schenck 60, J L Leathers 56, Michael Confer 81, James Smetzler 56; auditor, T Pletcher 62, John Glenn 63; town clerk, J H Tebbs 57, H E Leathers 64.

HARRIS TWP.

Judge of election, L Mothersbaugh 65, Henry Potter 109; inspector, Wm Young 58, Adam Zeigler 110; school directors, E W Sweeney 61, Adam Felty 60, as L Stuart (2 yrs.) 62, D W Meyers 113, Wm Beck 111, T W Weber (2 yrs.) 106; tax collector, I Young 58, J M Wieland 116; overseer of poor, A E Miller 55, John Hook 118; supervisors, D M Campbell 79 Jas Hettinger 67, Alex Kuhn 104, Geo. Swabb 95; auditors, James Hasson 55. Sam Weber 116; justice of peace, H C Rothrock 51, W A Murray 122; town clerk, Harvey Bailey 59, P S Ishler 115.

MILLHEIM BORO.

Judge of election, J H Deibler 40, W E Keen 67; inspector, J Spigelmyer 33, W K Alexander 69; school directors, T H Hockman 39, Geo Ulrich 24, A C Musser 78, J H B Hartman 70; burgess, G L Springer 24, B F Kister 74.

Councilman, D Ulrich 30, J R Schleiffer 27, S Moyer 25, A J Gephart 78, Jno Harter 72, G W Stover 77; tax collector, E B McMullen 62, H E Duck 46; overseer of poor L J Noll 22, J H Auman 83; auditor, W M Hartman 28, L E Stover 75; high constable, S M Ulrich 39, P H Musser 63.

MARION TWP.

Judge of election, W C Leathers 56, J W Holmes 62; inspectors, Israel Condo 75, R H Bennison 47; school directors, B F Thompson 64, James Bartley 53, J T Barlets 61, H Whiteleather 67, Geo Ertley (1 yr) 58, J W Yearick (1 yr) 60; tax collector, Joel Kling 64, M H Grove 68; overseer of poor, A C McClintic 55, J L Hoy 66; supervisors, J Orndorff 49, J W Stamm 67, Howard Bartley 52, D Harter, 74; auditor, D A Irwin 48, W W Orndorff 73; justice of the peace, G M Harter 72, J W Shamp 50, town clerk, A H Spayd 76 Ira C Aley 47.

We are unable to get the full vote in all the precincts so can only give the names of those elected in the following precincts.

HUSTON TWP.

J C Nason, judge of election; inspector, H. R. Mattern, school directors, Wm Chandler, W H Irwin; tax collector, E R Williams, overseer of poor, Geo Gill; supervisors, L C Bullock: D J. Gingery; auditor A C Williams; justice of peace, O H Nason; town clerk, E H Williams.

LIBERTY.

Judge of election, W. S. Holter; inspector, Chas Bowers; school directors, E E Winslow, W H Gardner; tax collector, J A Bitner; overseer of poor, Frank Kessinger; supervisors, W W Spangler, John McKean; auditor, W B Haines; justice of peace, W J Harter, town clerk, G W Berry hill.

SOUTH PHILIPSBURG BORO.

Judge, Frank Stover; inspectors, John Cunningham, Elmer Holt; school directors, A Bathgate, Wm Whitney, John B Hoffman, T B Everette; burgess, Wm Cunningham; council, Robt Dewey, Ira Stover, S Gardner; tax collector, Jacob Heller; auditor, Thos Radcliff; justice of the peace, Frank Gage.

PATTON TWP.

Judge, G D Green; inspectors, L P Sprout, A H Hoover; school directors, J G Gray, Mesh. Williams; tax collector, W G Furst; overseer of poor, S T Gray; supervisors, B F Harris, G W Gray; auditor, W E Hartsock; justice of the peace, S G Cooms; town clerk, P B Kephart.

PENN TWP.

Judge, C Alexander; inspectors, I Walter, John Hoffa, jr.; school directors, Benj Wingard, G M Bower; tax collector, J E Harter; overseer of poor, B F Frankenberger; supervisors, A W Ulrich, Jacob Sanders; auditor, W E Braucht; justice of the peace, J. F. Garthoff; town clerk, A L Auman.

WORTH TWP.

Judge, J T Marks; inspectors, A Williams, A B Woodring; school directors, J B Williams, A J Johnson; tax collector, S H Harshberger; poor overseer, Adam Cowher; supervisors, J D Wagner, A L Williams; auditor, A Y Williams.

RUSH TWP.

School directors, Geo Houk, Jas Garland; tax collector, P R Garmer; poor overseer, R O'Neil; supervisors, Jules Seigfried, I Kipport; auditor, P P Vromer; town clerk, Frank Getty.

W. P. OF SNOW SHOE.

Judge, John Gonsole; inspectors, John Harsberger, James Culver; registration assessor, J A Yeager.

BOGGS TWP.

School directors, Dan'l Boak, John Woomer, John Swartz; tax collector, James M Lucas; overseer of poor, Jacob Yarnel; supervisors, George Heverly, Samuel Bathgate; auditor, David Baldridge; township clerk, Geo Taylor; justice of peace, John Parker.

BURNSIDES TWP.

Judge, Jacob Walker; inspector, Miles Zimmerman; school directors, M Viehdorfer, C H Beates; tax collector, W. Zimmerman; overseer of poor, Jesse Irwin; supervisors, N Valimont, Fred Carson; auditor, D M Stewart; justice of peace, Geo R Boak.

TAYLOR TWP.

Judge, John Henderson; inspector, A R Price; school directors, A Baney, J K Harner; tax collector, R S Richard; overseer of poor, M J Henderson; supervisors, Wm Beigle. Jas McMonigal; auditor, A R Price; justice of peace, John Harner; township clerk, E J Sharer.

UNION TWP.

Judge, Owen Underwood; inspectors, O A Shirey, P J Loughry, school directors, Jacob Shirk, E M Lucas; tax collector, E E Erhart; overseer of poor, Jason Underwood; supervisors, Philip Brower, James Davidson; auditor, C R Eckenroth; justice of peace, J G Kunes; township clerk, L Lucas.

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Death of Mrs. Rachel Larimer.

Mrs. Rachel Larimer died at the home of her son Rush Larimer, on High street, Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock from a complication of diseases. She had been ill for several weeks. Deceased was born near Pleasant Gap, Centre county, and was in her 79 year. She was the widow of the late associate Judge J. G. Larimer, who died fifteen years ago Tuesday, within ten minutes of the time his wife died. Mrs. Larimer was a conscientious christian lady, a member of the Presbyterian church of Bellefonte, and loved and respected by all who knew her.

She leaves the following children who sadly mourn her loss Rush and Will of this place, Robert of Clearfield and Dr. Furey Larimer of Omaha, Nebraska. John W. Furey, of Pleasant Gap, was a brother of the deceased.

About Old Maid Teachers.

A woman editor in a country exchange, who has a lively and exceedingly sharp pen, prints the following: An exchange observes that a great many wonder why it is that we have so many old maid school teachers. This is easily accounted for, and also demonstrate their wisdom. They do not care to give up a forty dollar a month job for a fifteen dollar a month man. They have more authority in a school room than they would in most house holds.

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Personal Pencilings.

S. M. Buck arrived home from South Carolina last week.

Dr. T. E. Gutelius of Millheim was in this city on Monday.

C. M. Thompson, of Stormstown, was a Bellefonte visitor Monday.

B. W. Shipley, of Unionville, was a Bellefonte visitor on Saturday.

Joseph T. Barton, was transacting business in this city on Saturday.

John Bullock returned recently from a two weeks trip to eastern cities.

J. H. Reifsnyder, of Millheim, transacted business in Bellefonte Monday.

D. B. Kunes and daughter of Eagleville were Bellefonte visitors Wednesday.

Harry Gerberich returned on Saturday from a visit to his sister in Philipsburg.

Ex-Judge Thos. F. Riley, of Boalsburg, registered at the Garman House Monday.

Judge James A. Beaver of the superior court left for Williamsport on Monday.

Mrs. Jack McCellan is now visiting her sister Mrs. J. L. Spangler on Allegheny street.

Chas. T. Noll, of Clearfield, was a Bellefonte visitor during the early part of this week.

Daniel Garman returned this morning from an extended visit to Williamsport and Atlantic City.

Mrs. Al Garman and son Ira Garman returned from their trip to Philadelphia last Thursday evening.

Judge A. O. Furst arrived home on Saturday from Huntingdon where he had been attending court.

Edward Campbell, of Wilkesbarre, is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell of this place.

Miss Jane Miller, of near Bellefonte, is visiting at the residence of her brother, Wm. Miller, at Millheim.

Miss Mary Korb of Chicago spent last week at the hospitable home of Mrs. J. S. McGarger on Bishop street.

Judge John G. Love returned on Saturday from Huntingdon where he has been holding court for the past week.

Frank Warfield, of the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania, with headquarters at Bellefonte, was in this city Tuesday on his way east.—Williamsport Sun.

D. F. Fortney, Esq., went to Williamsport Monday to argue the case of Rinestone vs. Reifsnyder before the Superior court now in session in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffman and children, of Williamsport, are visiting at the residence of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Spigelmyer on Howard street.

Editor P. Gray Meek, Mrs. Meek and daughter, Miss Mary, left Thursday for a trip to Galveston, Texas, and Mexico. They will also visit Miss Bessie who is engaged in teaching in the University at Austin.

Al. S. Garman, departed on Friday at 1.05 over the Pennsylvania railroad for a pleasure trip to Galveston, Texas and the city of Mexico. He will accompany the National Editorial Association on their annual outing.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Cowderick, of Niagara Falls, arrived in Bellefonte Tuesday morning and are stopping at the Garman house with their daughtert Mrs. Al Garman. They have many old friends in this place who will be glad to see them.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. is on every wrapper.

Matrimonial Market.

Following is the list of marriage licenses granted by Register Rumberger during the past week:

John R Johnson of Spring township and Nannie B. Lytle of State College.

Wm. Diehl and Emma Mann both of Howard.

Calvin D. Haines of Woodward, Centre county and Lizzie L. Long of Millheim.

Earnest Hess and Blanche Felty both of Harris Twp.

William Johns of Clearfield and Mary Harper of Centre county.

John Marjak and Anna Kondik both of Clarence, Pa.

Walter B. Gray and Josephine Holt both of Philipsburg.

Calvin Coble and Hattie Harshberger both of Linden Hall, Pa.

Adam Grugher and Edna Bathurst both of Roland Pa.

Death of D. S. Hergesheimer.

D. S. Hergesheimer died at his home at Devon, Pa., on Monday morning, of catarrh of the stomach. He was engaged in the drug business at that place, and was about 35 years of age. He will be remembered from the fact, that he accompanied by his wife, formerly Carrie Landis of this place, visited at the home of John Meese, for five or six weeks last summer. Mr. Hergesheimer made many friends while here who will be sorry to learn of his untimely end.

IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Business of Importance Transacted at Monday Night's Session.

The last regular session of the present Bellefonte Council was held in the council chamber Monday evening. The following members were present: Gerberich, Williams, Lowery, Schaeffer, Brachbill, Keller, and Hillibish. President Brockerhoff being absent, it was moved by Mr. Gerberich and seconded by Mr. Hillibish that Harry Keller take the chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read by Clerk Isaac Mitchell. As there were no alterations they were approved.

Burgess W. E. Gray addressed the council in regard to granting a license to a transient merchant who desired to sell clothing in the vacant room in McClain's block. The party applied for a license to the Burgess, who refused it, but the party tendered the license fee of $20, which is all that the borough can collect under the circumstances, and it seems the borough is compelled to take it.

F. W. Crider requested permission of Council to build a cellarway on the alley at the north of Crider's Exchange.

Chairman Williams, of the Street committee, had very little to report except keeping streets opened up. Street brigade has been kept busy shoveling snow.

Chairman Gerberick reported repairing of water pipes on Bishop and East High streets. The pumps were running four nights. Everything in good order.

Chairman Brachbill, of the Fire and Police committee, reported buying stove for Undine Hose house. He also spoke in high terms of the promptness with which both fire companies responded to the alarm at the last three fires: Temple Court, Powers' store and Court House. They were on the scene five minutes after the alarm was given.

Mr. Lowery stated that several parties had spoken in regard to having another light on East Curtin street.

Mr. Quigley, representing the Board of Health, stated that Dr. Harris' term had expired and it was the desire of the Board that he be re-elected. Out of the appropriation of $100.00 for '96, $98.25 has been spent. He also asked $100.00 for 1897.

In reference to the "Red Letter Sale" it was decided to leave this in the hands of the Burgess. There is nothing that can be done to keep out there traveling merchants. The ordinance now on our statue books is a very defective one. A new ordinance should be passed at once prohibiting transient merchants from coming here. It is a great injustice to our own dealers, who live here and pay high rents and taxes.

The request of Mr. Crider to build a cellarway at the north end of the Exchange, on the alley, was granted.

Dr. Geo. F. Harris was re-elected a member of the Board of Health.

Borough Engineer Wetzel produced a map of the town for the inspection of the Councilmen, which he made at their request. It is a very fine piece of work.

The following bills were read, approved and orders drawn for same:

Water pay roll	$ 58 93
McCalmont & Co, lime	96
Atlantic Refining co	18 72
Wetzel Bros	4 96
Street pay roll	17 40
McCalmont & Co, crusher	37 26
J H Wetzel, grades	13 00
C Schrock, blacksmithing	50
Police pay roll	35 00
Bellefonte F & S co	3 00
McCalmont & co	6 60
James Harris & co, stove	15 00
James T. McCafferty	2 00
Clement Dale, bal. of salary '96	25 00
W P Humes, rent for Hose house	125 00
	$363 33

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